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INAUGURAL ADDRESS OF THE MAYOR,

CITY GOVERNMENT OF 1900,

TOGETHER WITH THE

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE OFFICERS OF THE

CITY OF QUINCY,

MASSACHUSETTS,

FOR THE YEAR 1899.



QUINCY :
GEO. W. PRESCOTT & SON,
115 Hancock Street.
1900.



City Government, 1900.

MAYOR,
JOHN O. HALL.

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS.

Commissioner of Public Works,
CHARLES F. KNOWLTON.

City Treasurer,
H. WALTER GRAY.

City Clerk,
EDGAR G. CLEAVES.

City Auditor,
GEORGE A. SIDELINGER.

Chief Engineer of Fire Department,
PETER J. WILLIAMS.

Chief of Police,
WALTER H. RIPLEY.

City Solicitor,
RUSSELL A. SEARS.

Overseer of Poor,
E. W. H. BASS.

Collector of Taxes,
A. LINCOLN BAKER.

City Physician,
JOHN F. WELCH, M. D.

City Messenger,
HARRY W. TIRRELL.

City Engineer,
HAMILTON FLOOD.

Inspector of Plumbing,
JEREMIAH J. KENILEY.

Inspector of Animals,
FRANCIS ABELE, JR.

Inspector of Meats and Provisions,
ROBERT T. JOHNSON.

CITY COUNCIL.

Regular meetings on the first and third Mondays of each month at 7.35 P. M.

CHARLES M. BRYANT,	President.
CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR,	Clerk.

Councilmen-at-Large.

WILLIAM E. BADGER,	EUGENE N. HULTMAN,
RICHARD R. FREEMAN,	HARRY S. NICOL,
JOHN E. POLAND.	

Councilmen from Wards.

<p style="text-align: center;">Ward One.</p> <p>ELISHA PACKARD, HENRY M. FAXON, GEORGE H. WILSON.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ward Two.</p> <p>ARTHUR W. NEWCOMB, JAMES S. CLEVERLY, JOHN W. WALSH.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ward Three.</p> <p>JOHN L. JOHNSON, DANIEL McLENNAN, THOMAS W. SMITH.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ward Four.</p> <p>THOMAS F. HOGAN, WILLIAM H. CALLAHAN, JAMES H. ELCOCK.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ward Five.</p> <p>CHARLES M. BRYANT, EUGENE F. DE NORMANDIE, WALTER F. NICHOLS.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ward Six.</p> <p>WALTER P. HILL, CHARLES ALDEN, WILLIAM G. GASSETT.</p>
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City Council Committees.

Finance, Accounts, Claims, Contracts and Salaries,—FREEMAN (chairman), BADGER, PACKARD, POLAND, ALDEN, JOHNSON, WALSH.

Streets, Ways, Sidewalks, Bridges and Lights,—POLAND (chairman), NEWCOMB, McLENNAN, NICHOLS, ELCOCK, GASSETT, WILSON.

Public Buildings and Grounds,—PACKARD (chairman), HOGAN, NICOL, FAXON, DE NORMANDIE.

Sewers and Drains and Water Supply,—HILL (chairman), HULTMAN, SMITH, WALSH, CALLAHAN, DE NORMANDIE, FAXON.

Fire Department and Police,—HULTMAN (chairman), HOGAN, NICOL, ELCOCK, SMITH.

Ordinances, Licenses, Printing, Rules and Orders,—NEWCOMB (chairman), McLENNAN, JOHNSON.

Legislative Matters, Elections and Returns,—ALDEN (chairman), GASSETT, CLEVERLY.

Health, Poor, State and Military Aid,—WILSON (chairman), CLEVERLY, CALLAHAN.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Office: No. 1 Faxon Block, Hancock Street.

Regular meetings on the last Tuesday of each month at 8 p. m.

CHARLES H. PORTER,	.	.	.	.	.	.	Chairman
SUPT. H. W. LULL,	.	.	.	.	.	.	Secretary
At Large—HENRY C. HALLOWELL,	.	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1901	
“ NATHANIEL S. HUNTING,	.	.	.	.	.	“ “ 1902	
“ CHARLES F. MERRICK,	.	.	.	.	.	“ “ 1903	
Ward 1—CHARLES H. PORTER,	.	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1901	
“ 2—FREDERICK H. SMITH,	.	.	.	.	.	“ “ 1902	
“ 3—MABEL E. ADAMS,	.	.	.	.	.	“ “ 1902	
“ 4—THOMAS J. DION,	.	.	.	.	.	“ “ 1903	
“ 5—WELLINGTON RECORD,	.	.	.	.	.	“ “ 1901	
“ 6—FREDERICK J. PEIRCE,	.	.	.	.	.	“ “ 1903	
Truant Officer,—CHARLES H. JOHNSON.							

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Permanent Police.

CHARLES G. NICOL,	THOMAS F. FERGUSON,
MARK E. HANSON,	JAMES W. MURRAY,
JOHN HOLLORAN,	DANIEL R. MCKAY,
FRANK J. DAVOREN,	PATRICK H. BRADLEY,
DAVID J. BARRY,	JOHN T. LARKIN.

Special Police.

JOHN H. NEWCOMB,	JEREMIAH HINCHON,
SAMUEL D. DE FOREST,	PATRICK A. MILFORD,
HENRY O. DAWSON,	ALFRED W. GOODHUE,
GEORGE A. CAMERON,	JOHN P. REDDINGTON,
DAVID L. GORDON,	JOHN J. BRADLEY,
TIMOTHY J. MCCARTHY,	JOHN A. O'BRIEN,
EDWARD J. CURTIN,	EDWARD J. SANDBERG,
DANIEL F. MURPHY,	GEORGE A. MCKAY,
CALVIN T. DYER,	WILLIAM S. LYONS,
WILLIAM E. MORRISEY,	JOSEPH W. HAYDEN.

Constables to Serve Civil Process.

NAPOLEON B. FURNALD,	ALBERT G. OLNEY,
HENRY P. FURNALD,	AMOS L. LITCHFIELD,
WILLIAM D. BURNS.	

Inspector of Milk.

HENRY C. HALLOWELL, M. D

Scaler of Weights and Measures.

FRANCIS A. SPEAR.

Weighers of Coal.HERBERT D. ADAMS,
E. FRANK MITCHELL,
FRANK S. PATCH,
FRANK W. CRANE,WILLIAM W. CUSHING,
GEORGE P. MEAD,
EBEN W. SHEPPARD,
GEORGE B. PRAY,

HERBERT A. NEWTON.

Measurers of Grain.

FRANK W. CRANE,

CHARLES H. HERSEY,

WILLIAM C. HART.

Undertakers.JOHN HALL,
WILLIAM E. BROWN,A. W. FAY,
EDWARD L. BEAN.**Measurers of Wood and Bark.**FRANK S. PATCH,
HERBERT D. ADAMS,
THOMAS J. FOLEY,
GEORGE K. CARTER,EBEN W. SHEPPARD,
GEORGE P. MEAD,
LYSANDER W. NASH,
E. FRANK MITCHELL,

FRANK W. CRANE.

Fence Viewers.Ward 1—RICHARD NEWCOMB,
Ward 2—GEORGE CRANE,
Ward 3—JAMES NIGHTINGALE,Ward 4—JOHN R. O'NEIL,
Ward 5—QUINCY A. FAUNCE,
Ward 6—GEORGE B. BRYANT.**Field Drivers.**WILLIAM FAXON,
RICHARD NEWCOMB,GEORGE CRANE,
BARTHOLOMEW REARDON,
WINSLOW HOBART.**Pound Keeper.**

FRANKLIN JACOBS.

INAUGURAL ADDRESS

1900.

JOHN O. HALL, Mayor.

Mayor's Address.

GENTLEMEN OF THE CITY COUNCIL :

Custom has chosen this season of the year as a fitting time of taking account of stock, closing up the old business and laying lines for new enterprises.

The harvests of the past year have been gathered and the successes or failures have been recorded.

The days have shortened to their lowest limit and all nature is in the grasp of its winter sleep.

Humanity sits in the long twilight complacent in the successful outcomes of its ventures or cast down in the contemplation of its defeats and failures.

But the heart of man is always buoyed by hope, and the beginning of the year seems to be a turning point in the affairs of the world; the lengthening days give promise of a brighter future and the anticipation of the opening buds and brilliant verdure of spring and the beauties of the summer so soon to come, give new vigor and life and we hasten to new fields which we hope to till to greater profit and more successful harvests than any of former time.

Prompted by this custom, cities have adopted the beginning of the year as the time for installing the newly elected officials and laying their plans for the work for the welfare of the community.

And so, gentlemen, we are met today to begin the work which the citizens have committed into our hands; to cast our eyes back for a little over the past, only to learn the lessons which it may teach, to examine briefly the conditions with which we have to deal, and then to push forward with

faith and hope, and an honest, courageous and consecrated purpose to the work before us.

We have been honored with the suffrages of the people, and it is incumbent upon us to return our thanks for the confidence and trust reposed in us.

It is indeed an honor to be intrusted with the transaction of the business of a city like ours.

It is a grave responsibility which is committed to our charge and while we return our thanks for the honor, we should approach the labors of the position with the most profound and serious contemplation.

While we may feel tempted to exult that we are officials of "no mean city," yet we must never forget that we have hard and trying problems to solve, and difficult and perplexing situations to consider.

Let us approach the work before us with a calm confidence but with a firm resolve to do our part in an honest, conscientious manner, with a heart and brain always alive to the interests of our city and an all embracing purpose to conduct its affairs in every way free from prejudice or political bias, and strictly and solely on a broad yet conservative business basis.

The task before us is particularly difficult from the fact that we have large needs which seem to be imperative, and which call for substantial sums of money, and at the same time we are not a wealthy city and our revenue comes from hardworking citizens of comparatively small means.

To supply the essentials of our every day existence as a city, and at the same time to keep pace, as well as we can, with the constant and pressing demands for advance and improvement, will require of us constant care and serious thoughtfulness and the constant presence of a deep and permanent fund of conscientious service. To maintain retrenchment in our expenses and practice the most rigid economy in our administration, and at the same time to progress and improve wisely, will prove to be no light or easy task. Our means of revenue should be taken into account as we seek to legislate for improvements.

We must not pattern after other cities in our methods and desires but study well our own needs and our own resources and legislate wisely for our own city.

We are responsible for the welfare of our city and we must be careful to have a well matured judgment and then be firm in maintaining our position, though strong pressure and winning sophistries be meted out to us to swerve us from our course.

We must have the welfare of the city always in view and not allow our minds and judgments to be warped by selfish pride, or a sense of vain-glorying that this or that mighty work was undertaken and accomplished in our administration.

Rather let our record be that ours was a wise and economical government, than that this wonderful and expensive undertaking was during our administration.

To those of the Council who for the first time will take part in the administration of the business of the city, I will suggest a careful study of the requirements of the charter that you may be thoroughly familiar with the duties and privileges, and also the limitations of the Council under the charter.

I wish to call the attention of the Council at this time to the necessity of being very explicit in your legislation, that there may be no good ground for dispute as to the meaning or wish of the Council in the orders which are passed by it when those enterprises come to the executive department for accomplishment.

I should be much pleased to see the number of our Council meetings reduced and the length of the sessions very much abbreviated. During the early weeks of the year the business of the city in its legislative department should be carefully and painstakingly considered.

The plans for the welfare and improvement of the city should during those weeks occupy the close and careful scrutiny of every member of the body, and the amount of work to be done during the year outside the regular current work of caring for the community definitely determined.

During this time the Mayor, in consultation with his heads of departments, is determining the amounts needed for current expenses, and such imperative needs as are in evidence at that time.

By the time the annual recommendations are ready, the work of the Council should have been definitely arranged and determined upon, and at that time, with the revenue well

considered, the expenditure for the year can be safely fixed and the legislation needed to carry forward that work could be enacted. Then the principal work of the Council should be ended, and the regular meetings of the Council provided for under the charter would be sufficient for the transaction of such business as should present itself of a nature unforeseen when laying out our plan for our yearly expenditure.

With this idea always in view, the sessions of the regular prescribed Council meetings would be of short duration and the comfort of the Councilmen and the welfare of the city would be enhanced.

I would not in the slightest degree, infringe the right of petition belonging to our citizens, but I maintain that the stated meetings of the Council would amply provide for that right.

If this idea should be carried out, many citizens would consent to serve in the Council, who now absolutely refuse to be candidates, because if elected to the position, the Council meetings would take so much time. The city is thus deprived of the services of many men whom it would gladly welcome to its Councils.

In this connection, I wish to refer to the provision in the rules of the Council setting a date beyond which no project requiring the expenditure of a considerable sum of money should be introduced.

A former Council established such a rule, but subsequent Councils have stricken it out. I think such a provision is of great advantage to the city and I strongly recommend it to the attention of this Council.

A great deal of labor on the part of the executive department must follow the legislation of the Council, and any method of procedure which will prevent a large amount of work coming during the last months of the year should be gladly welcomed and most readily adopted. A policy of this kind established and carefully maintained would prevent a vast amount of hasty and imperfectly considered legislation on very important subjects.

Improvements in City Hall.

While we are to practice the greatest economy in our expenditure we must recognize the fact that the world moves and

we must keep pace with it, and we must avoid passing from economy to penuriousness, and in this connection I wish to call the attention to the absolute necessity of a rearrangement of the present city building for the work of the various departments in the regular business of the city. I trust the Council may see its way clear to the remodelling of the present building substantially on the lines of a plan of Mr. Burgin now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Ordinances Concerning Forms and Methods of the Accounts.

Some five years ago, as Auditor, I introduced into the Council the matter of a fuller requirement by ordinance of certain forms of returns and books in the keeping of records, receipts and expenditures of the city monies, but though I brought these to the attention of succeeding Councils I failed to secure their adoption.

Recognizing the importance of my recommendations at that time, I shall at an early date ask your attention to the subject, with the recommendation that you report such ordinances as will protect the interests of the city, as its business increases and becomes more complicated.

Grade Crossings.

The subject of grade crossings will doubtless come before you for consideration, and in this, great care must be exercised that we do not plunge into greater expense than we intend, or than we can bear, with the many demands which will come upon us in the next few years.

I see the need of proceeding with great caution in this matter, and while I recognize fully the importance to the public, yet I also see the magnitude of the burden and wish to counsel that we know very well indeed where our action will end before we institute proceedings in the case.

Boulevards.

The matter of Boulevards is of great moment to us and we must not overlook the fact that if we wish the cooperation of the

State in the laying out and building of these great avenues the citizens of Quincy must meet the Commission of the Commonwealth in a spirit of fairness, and many things must be conceded, that we may get a larger benefit to the entire city.

As the result of the combined efforts of the committee appointed by Mayor Sears when in office, by the administration of the past year and of many citizens, the Park Commissioners have decided to construct a boulevard in our city the details and extent of which you are already familiar with.

Finances.

An examination of the annual expenditures will show that in every year quite a sum has to be borrowed at the end of the year for current expenses and charged into and provided for in the revenue of the succeeding year, because of the appropriation in the Annual Budget of every dollar of estimated income, leaving no other resource for providing for an unforeseen demand, but to procure on a note to be charged into the next year's resources. This state of affairs I shall try to avoid by having a portion of the receipts held in reserve for such contingencies.

I am of the opinion that the appropriation for Miscellaneous City Expenses shall not be large enough to provide for court awards and claims, but that these matters should be provided for by the Council when they occur.

The suggestion is advanced at this time whether or not it would be well to change the ordinance on salaries relating to the salary of the Collector so as to have the fees and emoluments revert to the city treasury and also whether or not that officer should be the collector of all the revenue, whether from taxes or from whatever source.

I wish to call attention to whether or not the placing of edgestones and the building of sidewalks should be by special legislation of the Council on petition, or by special act and not by an item in the current expense.

Refunding the City Debt.

A matter of considerable importance to the city which came before the people last year, advanced by your chief executive at that time, was the refunding of our debt.

Personally, I am of the opinion that it would be a very unwise financial measure but there is to be considered the temporary relief which may come and the executive must consider for his guidance in the action which he must take, whether the citizens are willing to bear the additional burden of interest to be added to the debt for the sake of that temporary gain.

The extension of the debt adds to the burden, instead of lessening it, and the only relief is in distributing it over a number of years.

If the temporary relief which is gained by that extension is to be the excuse for a more generous expenditure by the Council to be distributed over those same years, and thus adding to the additional burdens which those same years must carry in the certain increased demands which the growth of the city will surely bring, then it seems to me to be the part of wisdom to let the maturing debt stand as a check against financial legislation. The only way to have a low tax rate is by limiting the expenditure but if our needs are imperative we must expect a higher rate than if our revenue were liberal and our wants few.

The statutes provide two ways under which cities borrowing money shall provide for their payment. One is to establish a sinking fund, in which case they shall add to the amount needed to pay the expenses of conducting the business of the city each year such a sum as will with its accumulation of interest, pay the money so borrowed within a period of ten years, and that sum shall not be less than one-eighth of the sum so borrowed.

The other way is to borrow on notes of the city extending over a period of not more than ten years from the year of said borrowing, in which case proportionate amount shall fall due each year and the assessors shall add to their other items of assessment, an annual proportionate amount.

It is easy to see that this system, while doing away with the expense of a board of Sinking Fund Commissioners, causes larger amounts to fall due in the earlier years, but it serves as just the check which was intended, by showing to the tax payer by the size of his yearly tax, the freedom with which the legislative body deals with the borrowing capacity, and gives the

public the necessary information to call a halt if necessary on that body.

The debt of the city on Dec. 31, 1899, is as follows :

Debt January 1, 1899,	\$265,505 86
Paid during 1899,	81,950 25
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	\$183,555 61

THIS AMOUNT IS MADE UP AS FOLLOWS :

Loans for Streets,	\$64,105 61
Loans for Permanent Sidewalks.	15,000 00
Loans for Engine Houses,	5,000 00
Loans for City Stable,	6,000 00
Loans for Gridley Bryant and Mas-	
sachusetts Fields Schoolhouses,	52,500 00
Loans for Repairs for Schoolhouse,	6,550 00
Loans for Chemical, Ward 1,	1,800 00
Loans for Land for High School,	10,000 00
Loans for High Schoolhouse,	16,000 00
Loans for Land for Gridley Bryant	
Schoolhouse,	3,000 00
Loans for Land for Massachusetts	
Fields Schoolhouse,	3,600 00
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	\$183,555 61

TO THIS HAS BEEN ADDED DURING THE
YEAR THE FOLLOWING LOANS :

For Streets,	\$71,025 00
Health, additional,	300 00
House Connections with Sewer,	6,000 00
Miscellaneous Fire Expense, addition-	
al appropriaton,	850 00
Hook and Ladder Truck,	2,200 00
Land on Whitwell Street for Schoolhouse,	5,000 00
Wiring Almshouse for Electric Lighting,	150 00
Fire Alarms Boxes and Making Two	
Circuits from One,	875 00
Footway over Beale Street Bridge,	275 00
For Bills of Fire Department for 1898,	1,475 98
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	\$88,150 98

TO THIS IS TO BE ADDED THE FOLLOWING LOANS
AUTHORIZED, BUT NOT YET ISSUED.

Plumbing in Schoolhouse, Dated January 1, 1900,	\$2,500 00
School-house on Whitwell Street, dated March 1, 1900,	40,000 00
Land Wollaston Engine House Jan. 1, 1900,	5,500 00
New Hose, Fire Department Jan. 1, 1900,	2,000 00
Poor Department, Additional Appropriation, dated January 1, 1900,	1,500 00
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	\$139,650 98
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Making the total Municipal Debt,	\$323,206 59

DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS :

Streets,	\$135,130 61
Sidewalks,	15,000 00
Engine Houses,	5,000 00
Land Wollaston Engine House,	5,500 00
City Stable,	6,000 00
Gridley Bryant and Massachusetts Fields Schoolhouses,	52,500 00
Repairs Schoolhouses,	6,550 00
Plumbing Schoolhouses,	2,500 00
Chemical Wagon, Ward 1,	1,800 00
Hook and Ladder Truck, Ward 1,	2,200 00
Land for High Schoolhouse,	10,000 00
Land for Schoolhouse, Whitwell Street,	5,000 00
High Schoolhouse,	16,000 00
Land Gridley Bryant Schoolhouse,	3,000 00
Land Massachusetts Fields Schoolhouse,	3,600 00
Health Loan Additional Appropriation,	300 00
House Connections, Sewers,	6,000 00
Miscellaneous Fire Expenses,	850 00
Wiring Almshouse for Electric Lighting,	150 00
Fire Alarm Boxes,	875 00
New Hose, Fire Department,	2,000 00
Footway Beale Street Bridge,	275 00
Schoolhouse, Whitwell Street,	40,000 00

Bills 1898 Fire Department,	\$1,475 98
Poor Department, Additional Appropriation,	1,500 00

FALLING DUE IN THE FOLLOWING YEARS :

In 1900,	\$69,975 00
In 1901,	46,805 61
In 1902,	29,925 98
In 1903,	27,550 00
In 1904,	27,150 00
In 1905,	26,650 00
In 1906,	29,650 00
In 1907,	16,150 00
In 1908,	15,150 00
In 1909,	11,450 00
In 1910,	6,750 00
In 1911 to 1924 inclusive, \$1,500 each year,	21,000 00

THE INCREASE IN THE MUNICIPAL DEBT FALLING DUE EACH YEAR
HAS BEEN INCREASED DURING THE PAST YEAR AS FOLLOWS :

In 1900,	\$7,275 00
In 1901,	14,150 00
In 1902,	12,625 98
In 1903,	10,650 00
In 1904,	11,150 00
In 1905,	11,150 00
In 1906,	11,150 00
In 1907,	11,150 00
In 1908,	11,150 00
In 1909,	11,450 00
In 1910,	6,750 00

Sewer Debt.

Jan. 1, 1899,	\$319,500 00
Amount paid during the year,	8,000 00
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	\$311,500 00
Amount of Loan added,	73,000 00
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	\$384,500 00

Water Debt.

Jan. 1, 1899,	\$720,500 00
Amount paid during year,	29,500 00
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	\$691,000 00
Amount added during year,	30,000 00
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	\$721,000 00

Total Debt.

Municipal Debt,	\$323,206 59
Water Debt,	721,000 00
Sewer Debt,	384,500 00
Playground Debt,	44,000 00
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	\$1,472,706 59
Net Increase,	\$122,200 73

Licenses.

While I am in thorough sympathy with the spirit of the times, which seeks to welcome the Sabbath as a day of relief to the tired laborer, and would accord to him every opportunity to get away from the crowded and perhaps dismal surroundings of every-day life, and get rest and recreation in the beauty and freedom of the open country, yet I am more strengthened as I grow older in the belief that the welfare of this nation, and the sure measure of its power and glory is in the closeness with which it is held to the belief of an all-supreme power which we call God, and that the welfare of man is best secured by his faithfulness to that belief and by the constancy with which he adheres to the faith that service to Him is man's crowning glory.

When we lose sight of the importance which should attach to the conscientious observance of the Sabbath, I feel sure that we cut loose from the mighty influences which have made New England the power that it has been in the past in the advancement and glory of this nation, and that we shall then begin on that course which will end in our forgetting God and bring upon us as a people that dark and dismal night when God has for-

gotten us, and the glorious beauty of the land of the free and the home of the brave shall be eclipsed. I charge you therefore that when you come to legislate on licenses concerning the observance of the Sabbath, free from bigotry and superstition, but with a firm reliance on Divine Providence, you weigh the subject carefully and do not let the seeming advantage of the individual work to the injury of the whole community. In your desire to give the individual the thing he wishes, you sow the seeds which in time will spring up into a harvest of tears and distress to one and all.

We should be thankful in the highest measure that we have not to consider the granting of licenses for the sale of liquors in our borders, yet I cannot let this occasion pass without calling attention to the fact that we have many in our community who would sacrifice the public good and the safety of the individual to the gain of the few, and to urge upon you by every act and word and deed to set your strong disapproval against its every encroachment.

Franchises.

While we recognize the benefits to the public which come from the telegraph, the telephone and the street railway, and would in every way assist the citizens to secure the benefits resulting therefrom, I believe it to be your duty to exercise extreme care in the grants to these agencies, and see that the community is in every way protected. The importance of this matter cannot be overstated.

In this connection I wish to call your attention to the need of your joining with the executive in guarding against the wanton destruction of shade trees and to carefully consider whether it is not time to require that wires should so far as possible be placed in conduits underground.

Street Watering and Street Lighting.

A matter which seems to me of great importance is the sprinkling of streets, and while this is maintained to a greater degree than formerly, it is still regarded as a luxury and is so rated in the statutes.

To my mind it is far from a luxury, it is certainly a safe-

guard to health, and to my mind should be regarded as a necessity.

The sprinkling of streets instead of being an expense is an economy and I am desirous that this branch of the city's expenditure shall be extended in its application.

As with the sprinkling, so with the lighting of our streets. To my way of thinking, the money spent for lighting contributes perhaps more than almost any other expenditure to the happiness if not the protection of the people.

Streets well sprinkled during the day and well lighted at night bring many other things in the way of improvment of the public welfare.

Here let me say that I think the citizens can and should join with the authorities in caring for and beautifying walks, streets and ways of the city and their door yards adjoining in order that our city may have that general air of thrift and comfort, and that general indication of public spirit which is characteristic of many cities and towns.

Lines and Grades.

I wish to call the attention of the Council to the need of joint action with the Executive in bringing about harmony in the extensions of the limits of our city, so that as it grows it may have that growth guided into symmetry in the laying out of its streets, and the establishing of grades.

As it has been, houses have been set at all heights above the ground, lands have been laid out without regard to adjoining sections and walks have been constructed uphill and downhill to conform to the caprice or lack of design of those who erect houses and built walks in front of them. This has resulted in lack of beauty in the general make-up of the city and in inconvenience and danger to those who pass over its walks and ways.

Building Inspector and Inspector of Plumbing.

While I do not want to see an elaborate department or building inspection established in our city, because I have seen such a display of ignorance and abuse of power in these departments, yet I am of the opinion that there should be a very care-

ful and thorough inspection of plumbing by an experienced and fair minded man, and an ordinance established requiring some safeguards against weakness and fire damage in the construction of buildings. I think we should have fire stops and that form of construction which is called slow burning, in all buildings which are to be built in our city.

Regard must be had to the cost of buildings and I should deprecate any ordinance in this department which would so add to the cost of construction as to bring rents beyond the ability of tenants to pay and thus fail to give a fair return to the builder.

While this is the case in larger cities near at hand, I trust that whatever action may be taken in this regard this danger shall be avoided.

It does not seem to me to be necessary to add the expense of an inspector, making an additional officer to add to the list of salaries and to the labor of appointment but if the city has a carefully prepared ordinance, the insurance companies could insist that it be complied with under penalty of larger rate or cancellation of policy. The expense to the citizen would be the same, as he pays in the one case an increased rate on his insurance for the expense of inspection by the companies, rather than to the city in his tax for the salary of the inspector.

Of the amount of the debt, \$35,725 is outside the debt limit, extending over a period of 25 years.

The valuations of the three years preceding are :

1897,	\$17,904,124 00
1898,	19,247,155 00
1899,	19,616,707 00
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Average,	18,922,662 00

This will make our borrowing capacity for the year 1900, \$473,066.00.

Borrowing money outside the debt limit on a long term of twenty-five or thirty years I consider a very dangerous proceeding, and I earnestly hope the Council will not enter into any projects of this nature without the most positive assurance that it is the wish of a large majority of the taxpayers.

The Property of the City

Is as follows :

Schoolhouses and Land,	\$492,900
Engine Houses and Land,	42,050
Fire Apparatus,	14,863
City Hall and Land,	40,000
Almshouse and Land,	35,000
Land, High Street,	500
Faxon Park,	10,000
Sewer Building and Machinery,	42,000
Mt. Wollaston Park,	40,000
Playgrounds,	35,200
Metropolitan Park,	75,875
Pumping Station, Standpipe, Reservoir, Land, etc.,	22,950
Land, Pine Island,	600
Salt Marsh, Pine Island,	450
Metropolitan Water Company,	1,000
	<hr/> \$853,388

Sewers.

At the beginning of the year there were two unfinished contracts for laying sewers, and, owing to financial difficulties with the contractors, the work was completed by the city.

With the appropriation of this year, sewers have been laid in Wards 1, 2, 3 and 5, both main and lateral.

About 6 3-4 miles of sewers have been laid this year.

Of the total amount expended by the Sewer Commissioners about \$59,000 has been paid to the citizens of Quincy.

The assessments for the sewers have been levied.

The total amount of the assessments thus far made, \$83,762.79.

The amount of money available for sewers is only \$2,000. Of the amount of \$400,000.00 authorized by the legislature of Massachusetts for this purpose, \$398,000.00 has been appropriated and expended.

The pumps at the Pumping Station were started May 8, and have been run daily since that date.

Three hundred and six house connections have been made with the sewers.

We now have in successful operation a system of about 23 miles of sewers. It comprises a Pumping Station, well equipped with pumps and boilers of capacity sufficient to care for the sewage till about the year 1915, and room for additional pumping machinery and boilers when increased capacity is necessary; a 24-inch cast iron outfall sewer or force main connected with the Boston outfall sewer at Squantum; an intercepting main sewer extending from the Pumping Station to Elm street and another main extending to Brewer's Corner. These mains are designated to carry the sewage of Quincy Centre, Quincy Point, South Quincy and part of West Quincy.

Connected with the main sewers are lateral sewers covering a large part of Quincy Centre and South Quincy and a small portion of Wards 2 and 4. There is also a main sewer extending from the intercepting sewer first mentioned westerly to Newport avenue in the valley of Furnace brook; tributary to this are the lateral sewers draining the south side of Wollaston hill. From the Pumping Station northerly is an intercepting or main sewer extending through Hancock street to Woodbine street. At this point it will eventually receive the sewage from Norfolk Downs and Atlantic, thence it extends westerly through Woodbine, Brook street and northerly through Farrington street to Central avenue. This sewer may later be extended to provide for Montclair and adjacent lands. Draining into this main sewer are lateral sewers providing for the larger part of the thickly settled portion of Wollaston, west of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and some of the lands between Hancock street and the railroad.

A comparison of the cost of the work completed, with the original estimate, shows that the actual cost has been very close to that of the estimate, the variance on the whole work will probably not exceed five per cent.

There have been some petitions for the extension of the system that the board has not been able to grant, and there are large and thickly settled sections of the city that have as yet no sewers. If it is thought best by the Council to continue sewer construction during the coming year, prompt measures should be

taken for securing authority from the Legislature to borrow money for this purpose.

There was passed by the last General Court an act authorizing the construction of the so-called "high level sewer" for the South Metropolitan District; the sewer to be built through Quincy with outlet between Nut island and Paddock's island. After consultation with the board, the City Solicitor succeeded in having introduced into the act a provision that no part of this sewer below Hyde Park be built until the outlet is approved by the State Board of Health, or before the year 1900. The report of the State Board of Health will be made to the next General Court, and as the location of an outlet for this sewer is of great importance to Quincy's interests, the city should be represented before the Legislature when the report is being considered.

By the act referred to above, Quincy was made a part of the South Metropolitan Sewerage District.

Water Service.

The sum of \$30,000 has been expended the past year and we now have 80.63 miles of pipes, supplying our citizens with water. There are 1389 services and 496 hydrants distributed through the city. The demand for service is still urgent and I think that the further extension of this supply is a wise and needed expenditure of money.

Along all our shore line there is no place where the public can enjoy sea bathing without violating an ordinance or encroaching on private property.

It would seem wise that a public bath should be established in Ward 5 or 6, and one in Ward 2, where this healthful enjoyment might be secured,

A charge could be made for service and room, which would not be burdensome, and yet which would be sufficient for the payment of the care of the premises, and the expense of maintenance and the interest on the money invested.

A matter in connection with the water supply and the sewer service is the establishment of a toilet retreat for men and women in the public square. The thousands who occupy the

square in the summer months make this accommodation a necessity.

Police.

There seems to me to be a need of better accommodation for the officers who are obliged to be on duty at the station and this matter can be provided for in the remodelling of the present city building.

A police signal service is a matter worthy of consideration, but this cannot be arranged in the present crowded condition of the police quarters.

Fire Department.

During the year permanent men have been placed in the Hose houses in the city, so that now there is a man and a horse at each house ready to respond at once to an alarm.

The department has maintained its efficiency through the year, and I am informed by the Chief that the loss with the greater number of alarms which have occurred this year is not larger than last year with a smaller number.

The hydrant service of the city should be extended and the hydrants should be under the care of the chief and should be tested by the department and every man in the department should be familiar with their construction and use.

There should be a greater number of hydrants throughout the city and in the appropriation for the extension of the water service a certain specified amount should be expended in the location of hydrants under the direction of the Chief Engineer.

An order passed the Council of last year for the purchase of land in Ward 5 for the location of a fire station. On this lot I would recommend the erection of a three-way house this building also to include a ward room and voting booth, independent of the fire quarters.

The pressure of water under the Metropolitan service is excellent but for three story buildings it is not sufficient and ere long a steamer will be needed in the northern section of the city.

Streets.

A constant source of comment and subject for criticism is the streets of the city.

Subject to the severest demands they need constant watchfulness and continuous repair.

In my judgment the mistake which we made in this regard is in the neglect of this element of timely repair or renewal. We spend a considerable sum in constructing a section or an entire roadway and then totally neglect it until it is completely destroyed and has practically to be rebuilt entire.

By maintaining unbroken a surface crust of a few inches in thickness the under structure will remain intact for years, but once allow the surface to be broken and neglected and the entire construction becomes broken and damaged and soon the under surface is turned to the top by the heavy traffic and the road is mined. The largest amount ever appropriated has been expended during the last year and the streets should be in the very best of condition. Coddington street widening is in progress but the work was delayed so long that it is now in an uncompleted condition and will require a considerable expenditure to put it in proper shape.

Before this work progresses further the feasibility of relocating the road where it passes by the Cemetery in order to furnish additional land for the latter should be carefully considered.

I do not believe it is wise to further consider the widening or extensive extensions of streets on the basis of long loans for the next two or three years, as the burden of the sewers and sidewalk assessments will be quite heavy on the tax payer for the next two or three years.

If allowed a release from the burden of any extra taxation I think the majority of the tax payers will during this period clear up these taxes and then we can see our way clear to engage in some larger expenditure within the provisions of the regular debt limit.

When our charter was arranged and submitted to the people the limit of our indebtedness was set at one per cent. of our valuation. This was afterward raised to two and one half per cent., the general rate for cities other than the city of Boston

and last year the most unwise act of all our legislation places a large amount at the disposal of the government outside the regular limit of indebtedness. I trust that the disapproval of the citizens against the contraction of any debt under this provision will be so strongly manifested that this and succeeding councils will give heed to it.

Schools.

The largest item in our list of expenses is the amount required for the support of our schools. The chairman of the Board of School Committee informs me that not less than \$102,500.00 will be required for school expenses for the year 1900, and this amount does not include the amount which will be needed for the new schoolhouse which is to be erected in the Cranch hill section.

This seems a large amount when compared with our entire annual appropriation for current expense, and yet when the entire subject is examined carefully I do not think we can in any way reduce the amount.

We must bear in mind that the State sets the standard of education for its towns and cities. This to my mind is a very wise arrangement.

Some towns or communities, less progressive and less wise than its neighbors, might insist that a small sum should be expended on educational matters, and thus its children would be deprived of the advantages which should come to them and which would come to adjoining communities.

Consequently, our Commonwealth sets a high standard for the school privileges, and the statutes give the School Committees chosen by the people by popular vote large powers and privileges that they may carry out the laws in this regard without let or hindrance.

It is true there is abroad a large measure of criticism of school committees, school teachers and school methods, but we must all admit that a great force of brain power is expended in the search for the best methods of imparting knowledge and the simplest ways of securing the best practical results.

While we complain that the vast amounts of money which are expended for the education of the youth of the land are not

producing the practical results which in our judgment they should, we must remember that like processes in chemical compounding results are slow in appearing and require time to fully develop their merit.

In our efforts to reach a certain product in chemistry we must allow the time needed for the elements to assimilate and come to that stage when they are in a condition ripe for the addition of other compounds. During all this process we have a compound which has neither name nor merit it may be, but all the same the process and the time are needed to get the compound to that state when with the injection of the final element the whole matter in an instant is resolved into the sought for compound.

It is much the same with the education of youth. Time and conditions are to work together with human agencies and though seemingly barren of results with faithful service and the co-operation of the community, the final result will be satisfactory in the extreme and generations yet unborn shall testify to our wisdom and our generosity.

While the amount expended for our schools is large as compared with our other expenses, yet we shall find on examination that the cost of instructing a pupil in Quincy compares favorably with the cost in other cities and towns in the State.

We have a large school population. This is not a misfortune, although it certainly is a burden. Do not let us complain that the children are born into our city in goodly numbers. Children bring burdens, but they are the light and joy of life; they gladden the present generation, and they carry rich promise for the safety and the worth of the future.

While they throng the portals of our schoolhouses let us bid them a hearty welcome, and provide for them with generous hand. For if we do this we shall surely bless our declining years, and furnish coming generations whose power and usefulness shall be beyond the scope of words to describe.

I think there are many things that can be improved in the management of our school business, not so much in the committee's management of the schools, as in the relations between the committee and the legislative and administrative departments of the city government. I am of the opinion that it

would be an improvement if the Mayor were ex-officio chairman of the School Committee in as much as this would be likely to bring about unity of action in all matters of legislation for school purposes.

We shall build a new school house in the Cranch hill district this coming year, and I very much regret that this building is not altogether what is required either in location or construction.

I believe no school building should be constructed without an assembly room.

It seems to me that we make a mistake in our public buildings in not providing so much ornamentation as will make them of merit and objects of approval ten or fifteen years from now. Our public buildings are, more than anything else, permanent improvements. They are likely to be in good condition thirty or forty years from now, and we should so construct them that they would be modern buildings twenty years hence.

I believe that all schoolhouse construction should be at the recommendation of the school committee both as concerns plans and size and location of building. I firmly believe that all schoolhouse constructions should be on a basis of at least twenty years forecast by the School Committee, and then all extensions should be on the line of a well considered plan and would result in a complete system.

I think it a great mistake to antagonize the School Committee on building or location, finally obliging them to accept what is far from satisfactory and then holding them responsible for results that seem to be unsatisfactory.

All our school buildings should be connected with the sewer the coming season in those sections where the sewers have been laid.

In this connection although not a matter which concerns the Council, let me allude to the provision in the will of Doctor Woodward which permits the attendance at the Woodward Seminary of only those girls born in Quincy. This prohibition I consider to be illegal and I shall at an early date call this question to the attention of the two boards in control of the school and of the fund.

If the courts should sustain the position that this prohibition

is illegal, it will afford great relief to the High school. Otherwise an enlargement of the present High school building will be an immediate necessity.

Conclusion.

Now, gentlemen of the Council the work is before us. Let there be the utmost harmony and good feeling between all branches of the government so that when the year shall have ended we shall have the honest satisfaction of having labored together for the welfare of the city and have the hearty endorsement of all the citizens.

In my appointments I have tried to secure the best service to the city that was possible with the material at my disposal and I have selected such men as I have felt would work in harmony with me for the most faithful discharge of the trust committed to us.

That there may be some disappointments, I of course realize for there are not as many offices as applicants and naturally those who do not receive will feel disappointed. In making my selection I have eliminated from the question entirely what the effect on my future prospects may be when my term of office shall expire and the question of the selection of a candidate shall again come before the people. The advancement of the public good taking all things into account has alone been my guide in these matters.

Gentlemen, let us take up the work with an eye single to the public good and so bear ourselves that our fellow citizens will hold us in high regard for the work we have done and we shall have the consciousness of having royally served the highest and added to those elements in our own personal characters which shall make us kings among men and worthy of that time when the cycles of time being ended for us we stand before the Great King, our souls bare before his keen and just vision and clothed upon by that celestial body which he shall give us we obtain his divine approval and at his command we enter into and become citizens of that celestial city whose walls are jasper, whose gates are pearls and whose light and glory is the God of all grace.

Annual Reports

For the Year 1899.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Treasurer's Report.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
January 2, 1900. }

To His Honor, The Mayor:—

Herewith I submit the annual statement of the City Treasurer for the year ending Dec 31, 1899.

Receipts.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1899,	.	.	.	.	.	\$12,025 02
Board of Health—Garbage,	.	.	-	.	.	458 91
Buckley Street Sidewalk,	.	.	.	.	.	12 00
Burial Places,	.	.	.	.	.	4,546 47
Copeland Street Sidewalks,	.	.	.	.	.	197 96
Edgestones and Sidewalks,	.	.	.	.	.	362 60
Hancock Street Paving,	.	.	.	.	.	436 91
Interest . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	9,887 82
Miscellaneous City Receipts,	.	.	.	.	.
Dog Licenses,	.	.	.	.	.	1,686 03
Dog License Fees,	.	.	.	.	.	166 40
Milk Licenses,	.	.	.	.	.	40 50
Pedlers' Licenses,	.	.	.	.	.	88 00
Plumbers' Licenses,	.	.	.	.	.	26 00
Bounty on Seals,	.	.	.	.	.	15 00
Tax Title Releases,	.	.	.	.	.	1,773 19
J. F. Harlow, City Clerk,	.	.	.	.	.	477 25
Sundry Receipts,	.	.	.	.	.	89 05

Massachusetts, State of—Corporation Tax, . . .	\$12,957 27
Street Railway Tax,	10,630 11
National Bank Tax,	1,752 85
Military Aid,—Chapter 279,	262 00
State Aid,—Chapter 301,	4,011 00
State Aid,—Chapter 561,	408 00
Burial Indigent Sailors and Soldiers, . . .	35 00
Water Loan Fund,	579 94
Notes Payable—City Debt,	52,425 98
Sewer Debt,	73,000 00
Water Debt,	30,000 00
Temporary Loans,	300,000 00
Street Improvement Loan,	35,725 00
Overseer of the Poor—Alms-house,	36 25
Outside Aid,	2,075 88
Parks,	100 00
Perpetual Care Fund of Public Burial Places, .	1,250 00
Permanent Sidewalks,	2,132 27
Police, Chapter 416,	457 34
Premium Account—Sewerage Loan,	3,353 00
Premium Account—Water Loan,	1,301 10
(From) Premium Account Sewerage Loan, . . .	8,000 00
Sewer Assessments,	4,521 27
Sewer—House Connections,	4,307 12
Sewer Service Deposits,	3,474 00
Streets,	474 30
Street Sprinkling,	2,531 01
Tax of 1894,	47 33
Tax of 1895,	439 29
Tax of 1896,	1,069 16
Tax of 1897,	38,376 80
Tax of 1898,	81,111 16
Tax of 1899,	238,053 08
Water Supply—Construction,	5,894 54
Water Supply—Maintenance, 1898,	2,532 70
Water Supply—Maintenance, 1899,	51,526 44
Water Service Deposits,	2,620 00
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	\$1,009,760 30

Expenditures.

	1898.	1899.
Abolition of Grade Crossings,		\$75 00
Advertising, Printing and Stationery, .	\$158 57	3,359 05
Assessors—Books, Postage, etc., . .		157 75
Clerical Services,		820 00
Miscellaneous,	6 44	155 09
Transfers,		165 00
Arthur Street,		998 60
Beale Street,		1,499 92
Beale Street Bridge,		8 00
Board of Health—Abating Nuisances and		
Contagious Diseases,		24 90
Garbage,		2,502 44
Inspection,		600 01
Inspection of Plumbing,	13 50	
Miscellaneous,	76 25	548 91
Bridges, Culverts and Drains,	19 28	2,433 28
Billings Road and West Elm Ave., .	260 70	
Billings Road,		2,990 02
Burial Places,	16 60	4,980 89
Clerk—City Clerk,		420 00
Clerk—City Treasurer,		520 00
Clerk—Commissioner of Public Works, .		625 00
Clerk—Tax Collector,		400 00
City Hospital,		3,000 00
City Officers,	543 45	15,166 70
Contingent Fund,		66 75
East Elm Avenue,	496 18	
Edgestones and Sidewalks,		1,913 78
Engine House Improvements,	56 36	
Engineering,		296 06
Faxon Road,		450 00
Fire Department,—Fire Alarm,	575 58	916 94
Firemen's Clothing,		47 00
Fuel,	218 81	250 37
Horses, Harnesses and Hose, . . .	250 00	935 00
Horse Shoeing and Keeping,	157 07	1,920 17

Fire Department—Keeping Chief's Horse,		\$200 00
Lighting Engine Houses,	\$37 00	327 37
Miscellaneous,	322 84	2,635 51
Pay of Men,		13,831 36
Repairs and Fixtures,	378 92	632 15
G. A. R., Post 88,		350 00
Goddard Street and Federal Avenue, .		199 94
Hancock and Granite Streets,	1,000 00	
Hancock Street Paving,		11,000 00
Interest—City Debt,		10,161 20
Park Debt,		1,760 00
Sewer Debt,		13,371 25
Water Debt,		28,735 00
Temporary Loans,		6,056 04
John Hancock Tablet,	178 25	
Law Library,	59 75	
Library—Books,		912 81
Catalogue Fund,		576 16
Fuel and Lights,	11 21	313 06
Insurance,		25 00
Miscellaneous,	8 00	756 34
Periodicals, Binding and Printing. .		735 90
Salaries,		2,620 41
Madison Street,		498 68
Massachusetts, State of,		17,666 85
Miscellaneous City Expenses,	189 28	5,980 25
Newcomb Street Extension,	108 75	
Nightingale Ave.,		500 00
Norfolk County,		15,880 95
Notes Payable—City Debt,		81,950 25
Park Debt,		1,000 00
Sewer Debt,		8,000 00
Water Debt,		29,500 00
Temporary Loans,	147,000 00	150,000 00
Overseer of the Poor—Almshouse, . . .	421 05	4,246 59
Outside Aid,	2,013 68	6,752 94
Parks,	4 28	295 48
Payne Street,	243 79	300 00
Permanent Sidewalks,	103 16	8,000 50

Police, Chapter 416—(Officers' Fees,)	\$39 44	\$78 03
Police—Chief,		1,000 00
Enforcement Liquor Law,		1,110 67
Pay of Men,		7,488 00
Special and Miscellaneous,		2,473 01
Station,	20 30	363 19
Premium Account, Sewerage Loan,		3,353 00
Plumbing, Wollaston and Coddington		
Schools,		60 38
Quarry Street,		7,470 46
Repair Public Buildings,	429 61	4,489 96
Removal of Snow,	132 20	9,629 78
State Aid—Chapter 279,		570 00
Chapter 301,	10 00	4,203 00
Chapter 447,		1,753 00
Chapter 561,		206 00
Schools—Books, Supplies and Sundries,	38 20	7,519 93
Evening,		1,289 84
Fuel,		5,028 32
Janitors' Salaries,		6,234 00
Teachers' Salaries,		76,048 61
Transportation,		879 30
Streets,	607 88	22,000 25
Street Crossings,		997 23
Street Lighting,	69 69	17,461 17
Street Sprinkling,		4,768 12
Steam Fire Whistle,	400 00	
Sewer Assessments,		1,744 07
Sewer Construction,	30,108 84	60,973 98
Sewer Maintenance,		3,152 09
Sewer—House Connections,		8,656 66
Sewer Service Deposits Refunded,		2,672 00
Tax Refunded,		156 37
Trafford Street,		499 30
Widening Coddington Street,		15,937 57
Widening Hancock Street,	706 20	
Widening Howard Street,		584 98
Widening School Street,		2,153 08
Willard Street,		1,497 02

Water Supply—Construction,	\$35,612 44
Water Supply—Maintenance, \$114 96	8,896 60
Water Service Deposits Refunded,	2,420 00
Washington Street Culvert, 347 52	- 193 75
Cash deposited in National Granite Bank to Credit of Perpetual Care Fund of Public Burial Places,	1,250 00
Cash on hand Dec. 30, 1899,	14,912 93
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	\$188,343 84 \$821,416 46
	188,343 84
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	\$1,009,760 30

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES F. BURKE,
City Treasurer.

QUINCY, MASS., Dec. 31, 1899.

I hereby certify that I have examined in detail the accounts of the City Treasurer: that all expenditures are supported by vouchers regularly approved by the proper officials, and that the condition of the various accounts (including cash on hand and in banks), on the 31st of December, 1899, has been verified by comparison with the records of this office.

JOHN O. HALL, *City Auditor.*

Rock Island Fund.

Cash on hand, January 1, 1899, . . .	\$1,000 00	
By interest,	40 00	
Bills paid by order of School Committee,		\$39 97
Cash on hand December 31, 1899, . .		1000 03
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	\$1,040 00	\$1,040 00

C. C. Johnson Fund.

Cash on hand January 1, 1899, . . .	\$2,003 14	
By interest,	80 92	
Cash paid for distribution of turkeys by Overseer of the Poor, . . .		\$84 00
Cash on hand December 31, 1899, . .		2,000 06
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	\$2,084 06	\$2,084 06

Perpetual Care Fund of Public Burial Places.

Cash on hand January 1, 1899, . . .	\$11,175 00	
Received for perpetual care of lots, . .	1,250 00	
By interest,	458 56	
Paid for care of lots,		\$458 56
Cash on hand December 31, 1899, . .		12,425 00
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	\$12,883 56	\$12,883 56

Premium Account, Sewerage Loan.

Cash on hand January 1, 1899, . . .	\$9,491 00	
Premium on bonds sold,	3,353 00	
By interest,	347 00	
Paid for maturing bonds,		\$8,000 00
Cash on hand December 31, 1899, . .		5,191 00
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	\$13,191 00	\$13,191 00

Respectfully submitted.

JAMES F. BURKE,

Treasurer of above Funds.

Auditor's Report.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, }
Quincy, January 1st, 1900. }

To the City Council :

The undersigned herewith presents the annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of the City of Quincy for the financial year 1899, together with a statement of the city debt at the close of the year.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. A. SIDELINGER,
City Auditor.

Almshouse.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

C. C. Hearn,	. . . . .	\$2 20
Sanborn & Damon,	. . . . .	1 80
Johnson Bros.,	. . . . .	16 41
C. Patch & Son,	. . . . .	149 50
W. L. Chase,	. . . . .	10 91
A. H. Doble & Co.	. . . . .	56 15
J. W. Nash,	. . . . .	3 16
F. F. Crane,	. . . . .	1 00
Tirrell & Sons,	. . . . .	4 88
F. F. Green,	. . . . .	2 00
M. A. Mitten,	. . . . .	1 65
C. S. Hubbard,	. . . . .	77
W. H. Brasee Co.,	. . . . .	5 40
A. J. Richards & Sons,	. . . . .	12 53
J. F. Merrill,	. . . . .	58 73
Granite Clothing Co,	. . . . .	12 75

G. F. Wilson & Co.,	\$22 74
C. F. Derby,	2 00
Ella L. Stetson,	3 65
Katie Cahill,	10 00
F. Jacobs,	42 82
	<hr/> \$421 46

Appropriation, 1899, \$11,000 00

EXPENDED.

N. E. T. & T. Co.,	\$42 37
F. C. Small & Co.,	75 75
G. F. Wilson & Co.,	728 63
A. H. Doble & Co.,	436 77
F. Abele,	5 00
Sanborn & Damon,	13 25
J. F. Sheppard & Son,	101 07
Mt. Wollaston Farm,	6 79
A. J. Richards & Son,	135 84
Tirrell & Sons,	48 90
Quincy Department Store,	87 85
J. F. Merrill,	515 06
Goss & Gould,	3 35
Hannah Fitzgerald,	10 00
M. A. Mitten,	37 30
Johnson Bros.,	209 62
Katie Cahill,	120 00
F. Jacobs,	550 28
Water supply,	45 43
W. L. Chase,	30 71
J. W. Nash,	28 14
F. F. Crane,	12 97
L. M. Pratt, & Co.,	427 28
Abbott & Miller,	1 15
G. W. Prescott & Son,	2 50
C. C. Hearn,	12 63
W. H. Brasee,	46 85
William Belcher,	30 00
W. B. Monroe,	3 50
Eaton Bros.,	46 57

W. H. Claflin & Co.,	.	.	.	.	\$11 29
C. Patch & Son,	.	.	.	.	139 82
C. F. Pettengill,	.	.	.	.	3 35
H. L. Kincaide,	.	.	.	.	20 38
Winslow & Gallagher,	.	.	.	.	1 35
Hub Chemical Co.,	.	.	.	.	2 00
William Westland,	.	.	.	.	16 76
Granite Clothing Co.,	.	.	.	.	63 50
Ella L. Stetson,	.	.	.	.	29 15
A. G. Durgin,	.	.	.	.	11 96
M. Abrams,	.	.	.	.	27 50
B. Johnson,	.	.	.	.	4 74
E. Packard,	9 73
Matilda Jenson,	40 00
Ann Jones,	37 50
Columbian Insecticide Co.,	12 00
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					\$4,246 59
Less supplies furnished to outside poor	2,085 01
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					\$2,161 58

Poor Out of Almshouse.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

J. F. Sheppard & Sons,	\$102 00
George W. Jones,	.	.	.	.	17 90
E. J. Murphy,	.	.	.	.	5 05
Dr. C. T. Sherman,	.	.	.	.	1 50
A. G. Durgin,	.	.	.	.	30
F. Jacobs,	.	.	.	.	1 12
George H. Brown, Agent,	.	.	.	.	6 00
John Chamberlin,	.	.	.	.	5 75
Catherine Geary,	.	.	.	.	4 00
Worcester Insane Hospital,	.	.	.	.	26 32
Worcester Insane Asylum,	.	.	.	.	42 71
Westborough Insane Hospital,	.	.	.	.	85 42
Medfield Insane Asylum,	.	.	.	.	184 00
Town of Weymouth,	.	.	.	.	4 50
City of Lowell,	.	.	.	.	9 50

Danvers Insane Hospital,	\$42 72
Massachusetts School Feeble Minded	
Youth,	85 42
Town of Warwick,	58 30
Taunton Insane Hospital,	555 23
City of Boston,	217 18
Town of Braintree,	21 50
John Hall,	15 00
Quincy City Hospital,	421 46
State Farm,	36 80
State Almshouse,	64 00
	----- \$2,013 68

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1899.

George W. Jones,	\$120 05
George E. Frost,	9 38
Catherine Geary,	44 00
G. H. Mitchell,	23 50
A. G. Durgin,	20 45
John Chamberlin,	69 00
G. H. Brown, Agent,	72 00
Francis McEttrick,	43 75
C. Patch & Son,	317 85
C. M. Smith,	66 00
City of Boston,	233 03
C. C. Hearn,	16 80
Estate C. H. Hardwick,	6 00
Taunton Lunatic Hospital,	2,400 37
Plymouth,	33 68
Danvers Hospital,	169 47
Massachusetts School Feeble Minded	
Youth,	338 90
City of Salem,	35 68
Medfield Asylum,	605 12
City of Pittsfield,	100 63
Westborough Insane Hospital,	345 42
Worcester Insane Hospital,	169 46
Hospital for Depsomaniacs,	86 82
New Bedford,	10 00

H. M. Federhen,	\$12 00
Austin & Winslow,	1 75
E. J. Murphy,	23 05
Winslow-Gallagher Co.,	6 50
L. G. Murray,	10 20
J. F. Sheppard & Son,	268 65
F. F. Green,	9 00
Henrietta Stevenson,	18 96
John Federhen,	6 00
Ella L. Stetson.	1 25
W. L. Chase,	84
Mrs. George P. Bullard,	41 79
City of Lowell,	10 50
Mrs. Catherine Talbot,	42 00
City of Brockton,	4 91
Hospital for Epileptics,	84 96
State of Massachusetts,	400 37
Dr. C. T. Sherman,	3 00
John Hall,	77 00
City of Springfield,	10 28
Mrs. T. J. Sullivan,	28 50
W. H. Brasee,	4 50
W. E. Brown,	25 00
E. J. Murray,	3 00
Henry Kelley,	20 00
Weeks & Potter,	6 10
City of Newton,	21 00
Quincy Charitable Society,	15 00
F. H. Crane & Son,	3 02
E. W. H. Bass,	9 45
State Farm,	146 40
Braintree,	100 60
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	\$6,752 94
Supplies furnished from Almshouse,	2,085 01
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	\$8,837 95

SUMMARY :

Appropriation, 1899,	\$11,000 00
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EXPENDED.

Almshouse,	\$2,161 58
Outside Poor,	\$8,837 95
						<hr/> \$10,999 53
Balance,	<hr/> \$0 47

Advertising---Printing and Stationery.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

New York and Boston Express,	.	.	.	.	\$1 05
Greenough, Adams & Cushing,	.	.	.	.	2 40
S. Hobbs,	.	.	.	.	40
E. B. Souther,	.	.	.	.	15 66
F. F. Green,	.	.	.	.	55 31
G. W. Prescott & Son,	.	.	.	.	83 75
					<hr/> \$158 57
Appropriation, 1899	.	.	.	.	\$3,500 00

EXPENDED.

C. L. Hammond, Postmaster,	.	.	.	.	\$708 85
J. P. O'Brien,	.	.	.	.	79 85
E. G. Cleaves,	.	.	.	.	1 40
Ernest & McCook,	.	.	.	.	12 00
G. W. Prescott & Son,	.	.	.	.	1,235 89
Sanborn & Damon,	.	.	.	.	75
F. F. Green,	.	.	.	.	659 01
A. W. Stetson,	.	.	.	.	1 50
W. A. Claflin,	.	.	.	.	6 20
S. Hobbs,	.	.	.	.	147 94
New York and Boston Express,	.	.	.	.	3 65
T. H. Ball,	.	.	.	.	99
J. P. Lovell Arms Co.,	.	.	.	.	8 13
Revenue Stamps,	.	.	.	.	14 50
Globe Stamp Works,	.	.	.	.	6 52
C. F. Carlson,	.	.	.	.	13 44
M. R. Warren Co.,	.	.	.	.	11 13
E. J. Shepherd,	.	.	.	.	70

E. B. Brown,	\$189 75
E. P. Gerould & Co.,	3 50
W. C. Hartwell,	7 20
E. B. Souther,	4 05
Boston Bank Note Co.,	180 00
G. V. Bowditch,	10 80
Library Bureau,	15 00
F. Blanchard & Co.,	3 00
Adams, Cushing & Foster,	3 20
A. I. Dixon,	3 25
Cephas Drew,	1 25
H. C. Whitcomb Co.,	1 75
Abbott & Miller,	40
T. J. McGrath,	16 00
J. T. McGovern,	5 20
Carter's Ink Co.,	2 25
	<hr/> \$3,359 05
Balance,	<hr/> \$140 95

Assessors—Clerical Service.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$1,300 00
EXPENDED.	
Miss A. B. Brackett,	\$672 00
Miss Sarah C. McGovern,	104 00
Miss Jane P. McGovern,	44 00
	<hr/> \$820 00

Assessors—Transfers.

EXPENDED.	
E. L. Burdakin,	\$100 00
Horace J. Stevens,	30 00
E. W. Marsh,	25 00
J. L. Harvey,	10 00
	<hr/> \$165 00

Assessors—Miscellaneous Expenses.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

E. B. Souther,	\$6 44
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EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1899.

Wright & Potter,	\$2 50	
G. W. Prescott & Son,	28 62	
W. C. Hartwell,	1 10	
P. B. Murphy,	2 50	
New York and Boston Express,	1 50	
J. H. Lord & Co.,	48 00	
Thomas F. Drake,	34 00	
S. Hobbs & Co.,	17 32	
C. L. Hammond,	10 60	
George Coleman,	1 75	
C. F. Carlson,	1 70	
John Federhen, 3rd,	4 00	
J. F. McGovern,	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$155 09

Assessors—Books, Binding and Postage.

EXPENDED.

J. P. O'Brien,	\$3 50	
F. F. Green,	93 00	
E. B. Souther,	29 75	
C. L. Hammond,	2 00	
G. W. Prescott & Son,	16 25	
A. M. Meek,	2 75	
George Coleman,	10 50	
	<hr/>	\$157 75
Balance,		<hr/> \$2 16

Alterations of Engine and Hose Houses.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

George E. Thomas,	\$56 36
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Abolishing Grade Crossings.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$500 00
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EXPENDED.

H. T. Whitman, Water Street,	\$75 00
Balance,	<hr/> \$425 00

Building Arthur Street.

Appropriation, 1899,	.	.	.	.		\$1,125 00
EXPENDED.						
Pay Roll,	.	.	.	.	.	\$971 40
H. T. Whitman,	.	.	.	.	.	6 00
J. W. Nash,	.	.	.	.	.	1 20
M. A. Mitten,	.	.	.	.	.	20 00
						<hr/> \$998 60
Balance,	.	.	.	.	.	<hr/>\$126 40

Beale Street.

Appropriation, 1899,	.	.	.	.		\$1,500 00
EXPENDED.						
Pay Roll,	.	.	.	.	.	\$1,491 92
John F. Donovan,	.	.	.	.	.	8 00
						<hr/> \$1,499 92
Balance,	.	.	.	.	.	<hr/>\$0 08

Beale Street Bridge (Footway.)

Appropriation, 1899,	.	.	.	.		\$275 00
EXPENDED.						
H. T. Whitman,	.	.	.	.	.	\$8 00
						<hr/> \$267 00

Bridges, Culverts and Drains.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Wollaston Foundry Co.,						\$19 28
Appropriation 1899,						\$2,500 00
EXPENDED.						
Trustees Hingham and Quincy Bridges.,	.					\$650 00
S. H. Edwards,	.	.	.	.	.	4 60
Pay Roll,	.	.	.	.	.	842 12
V. J. Emery,	.	.	.	.	.	6 65
Wollaston Foundry,	.	.	.	.	.	144 08

A. J. Richards,	.	.	.	.	.	\$424 59	
Harkins Bros.,	.	.	.	.	.	33 00	
E. J. Sandberg,	.	.	.	.	.	9 00	
Granite Shoe Store,	.	.	.	.	.	42 25	
Bridges, Pay Roll,	.	.	.	.	.	172 74	
B. Johnson,	.	.	.	.	.	61 28	
M. F. Newcomb,	.	.	.	.	.	12 37	
John Fallon & Sons,	.	.	.	.	.	22 60	
P. J. Williams & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	8 00	
						————	\$2,433 28
Balance,	.	.	.	.	.		\$66 72

Burial Places.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

F. W. Burnham,	.	.	.	.	.	\$11 60	
G. F. Wilson & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	4 00	
New York and Boston Express,	.	.	.	.	.	65	
Abbott & Miller,	.	.	.	.	.	35	
						————	\$16 60
Appropriation, 1899.	.	.	.	.	.		\$5,064 62

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1899.

Pay Roll,	.	.	.	.	.	\$4,313 68	
G. T. Magee,	.	.	.	.	.	14 50	
J. W. Nash,	.	.	.	.	.	21 50	
William J. Lane,	.	.	.	.	.	18 00	
E. B. Souther,	.	.	.	.	.	97	
James Nicol,	.	.	.	.	.	71 35	
T. W. Lincoln,	.	.	.	.	.	8 52	
William Westland,	.	.	.	.	.	8 13	
G. W. Prescott & Son,	.	.	.	.	.	22 25	
M. A. Mitten,	.	.	.	.	.	3 50	
J. Breck & Sons,	.	.	.	.	.	50 89	
W. H. Cobb,	.	.	.	.	.	138 35	
C. R. Anderson,	.	.	.	.	.	16 00	
C. L. Prescott,	.	.	.	.	.	58 00	
Water Supply,	.	.	.	.	.	36 82	
G. F. Wilson & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	9 90	
W. C. Hartwell,	.	.	.	.	.	35	

Edward Murphy,	\$5 50	
Morgan & Bird,	3 00	
New York & Boston Express,	4 35	
E. B. Brown,	2 50	
Charles Moreh,	15 00	
Quincy Tirrell,	56 43	
Alex. Clark & Co.,	75	
William Patterson,	6 20	
R. & J. Farquhar,	6 20	
F. H. Crane & Son,	56 00	
Frank Barnes,	7 00	
C. L. Hammond, Postmaster,	19 00	
A. W. Stetson,	6 25	
	<hr/>	\$4,980 89
Balance,		<hr/> \$83 73

Billings Road and West Elm Avenue.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Pay Roll,	\$260 70
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Billings Road.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$3,000 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay Roll,	2,907 98	
F. W. Burnham,	75	
T. Lyons,	47 25	
H. T. Whitman,	34 04	
	<hr/>	\$2,990 02
Balance,		\$9 98

Pay of City Officers.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Nathan Ames,	\$58 33
F. E. Jones,	16 67
I. M. Holt,	58 33
C. R. Sherman,	58 33
E. W. Newcomb,	58 33

George H. Field,	\$58 33
B. R. Redman,	58 33
John S. Gay,	37 50
James S. McDonnell,	137 50
E. A. Perkins,	1 80
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						\$543 45

Appropriation, 1899,	\$15,800 00
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EXPENDED.

John O. Hall,	\$642 25
H. A. Keith,	1,000 00
C. A. Spear,	500 00
J. T. Cavanagh,	1,803 58
J. F. Harlow,	.	.	.	.	.	1,182 15
E. W. H. Bass,	.	.	.	.	.	525 40
P. R. Blackmur,	.	.	.	.	.	631 25
E. G. Hall,	.	.	.	.	.	320 79
H. W. Tirrell,	.	.	.	.	.	250 00
J. F. Burke,	.	.	.	.	.	1,082 15
A. I. Dixon,	.	.	.	.	.	494 70
J. J. Keniley,	.	.	.	.	.	999 98
John Federhen,	.	.	.	.	.	291 66
Ward Officers,	.	.	.	.	.	840 00
R. T. Johnson,	.	.	.	.	.	225 00
T. F. Drake,	.	.	.	.	.	262 50
J. W. McAnarney,	.	.	.	.	.	68 75
C. W. Garey, M. D.,	.	.	.	.	.	150 00
J. A. Elmere, M. D.,	.	.	.	.	.	275 00
P. J. Williams,	.	.	.	.	.	537 50
F. E. Jones,	.	.	.	.	.	19 64
J. H. Dinegan,	.	.	.	.	.	75 00
C. F. Knowlton,	.	.	.	.	.	196 42
H. W. Gray,	.	.	.	.	.	117 85
A. W. Thompson,	.	.	.	.	.	112 50
B. R. Redman,	.	.	.	.	.	29 17
F. C. Packard,	.	.	.	.	.	58 90
John Curtis,	.	.	.	.	.	262 50
E. A. Perkins,	.	.	.	.	.	58 92
I. M. Holt,	.	.	.	.	.	29 17

John S. Gay,	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$12 50
J. F. Welch,	.	.	.	.	.	.	25 00
James A. White,	.	.	.	.	.	.	262 50
C. R. Sherman,	.	.	.	.	.	.	29 17
A. L. Baker,	.	.	.	.	.	.	105 30
E. W. Newcomb,	.	.	.	.	.	.	29 17
James S. McDonnell,	.	.	.	.	.	.	12 50
H. C. Hallowell,	.	.	.	.	.	.	150 00
Henry G. Fay,	.	.	.	.	.	.	320 82
E. G. Cleaves,	.	.	.	.	.	.	117 85
Nathan Ames,	.	.	.	.	.	.	29 17
George H. Field,	.	.	.	.	.	.	29 17
W. A. Hodges,	.	.	.	.	.	.	541 08
E. P. Flood,	.	.	.	.	.	.	7 25
E. J. McKeon,	.	.	.	.	.	.	100 00
E. B. Marsh,	.	.	.	.	.	.	100 00
J. C. McGowan,	.	.	.	.	.	.	100 00
Mathew & Lyon,	.	.	.	.	.	.	137 50
F. A. Spear,	.	.	.	.	.	.	15 00
						-----	15,166 70
Balance,	\$633 30

Clerk—Executive Department.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$625 00
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EXPENDED.

Miss A. M. Nightingale,	\$625 00
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Clerk—Treasurer.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$520 00
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EXPENDED.

Miss Belle M. Smith,	\$520 00
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Clerk—City Clerk.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$420 00
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EXPENDED.

Miss E. J. Shepherd,	\$420 00
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Clerk—Tax Collector.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$400 00
EXPENDED.	
Miss Lillian E. Taylor,	\$400 00

Contingent Fund.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$75 00
EXPENDED.	
S. Penniman & Son,	\$38 75
John Hall,	22 00
Q. & B. Street Railway,	6 00
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	\$66 75
Balance,	<hr/>
	\$8 25

City Debt.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$81,950 25
Mar., Drain Lincoln and Winthrop Avenues,	\$200 00
Mar., Pleasant and School Streets,	200 00
Mar., Widening part of Squantum Street	500 00
Mar., Sea Street,	1,000 00
Mar., Billings Road and West Elm Avenue,	500 00
Mar., Permanent Sidewalks,	1,000 00
May, Hancock Street,	4,000 00
June, Common Street,	1,200 00
June, Hancock Street,	2,000 00
June, Hose House, Ward 2,	1,000 00
June, Hose House, Ward 4,	6,500 00
June, Squantum Causeway,	5,000 00
July, Neponset Bridge,	2,000 00
July, Wollaston Schoolhouse,	1,000 00
July, Paving Copeland Street,	1,000 00
July, City Stables,	500 00
July, Sundry Loans,	650 00
July, Hancock Street Paving	1,000 00

July,	Schoolhouses, Wards 4 and 5,	. \$7,500 00
Aug.,	Sundry Loans,	. . . . 500 00
Aug.,	Phœbe C. Harris, (Award),	. . . . 3,336 25
Aug.,	Permanent Sidewalks,	. . . . 1,000 00
Aug.,	Sundry Loans,	. . . . 684 00
Sept.,	Land Willard School,	. . . . 1,580 00
Sept.,	Heating Adams and Quincy Schools	1,000 00
Sept.,	Rebuilding Adams Street,	. . . . 500 00
Oct.,	Rebuilding Adams Street,	. . . . 1,000 00
Oct.,	Faxon Road,	. . . . 500 00
Oct.,	Brooks and Bridges,	. . . . 500 00
Oct.,	House Connections with Sewer	. . . . 500 00
Oct.,	Culvert, Washington and Canal Streets,	. . . . 500 00
Oct.,	Drains and Catchbasins, Ward 2, Washington Street,	. . . . 500 00
Nov.,	Willard Schoolhouse,	. . . . 7,700 00
Dec.,	Central Fire Station,	. . . . 3,000 00
Dec.,	Water Street Paving,	. . . . 5,000 00
Dec.,	Land for High Schoolhouse,	. . . . 5,000 00
Dec.,	High Schoolhouse,	. . . . 8,000 00
Dec.,	Removal of Snow,	. . . . 3,000 00
Dec.,	Wollaston Fire Alarm Whistle,	. . . . 400 00
Dec.,	Water Supply Maintenance,	. . . . 1,000 00
		<hr/> \$81,950 25

Water Debt.

Appropriation, 1899,	. . . . .	\$29,500 00
April, Water Bonds,	. . . . .	\$1,000 00
May, Water Bonds,	. . . . .	2,500 00
June, Water Bonds,	. . . . .	1,000 00
Aug., Water Bonds,	. . . . .	20,000 00
Sept., Water Bonds,	. . . . .	2,000 00
Dec., Water Bonds,	. . . . .	3,000 00
		<hr/> \$29,500 00

Sewer Debt.

Appropriation, 1899,	. . . . .	\$8,000 00
April, Sewer Bonds,	. . . . .	\$2,500 00
May, Sewer Bonds,	. . . . .	3,000 00
Oct., Sewer Bonds,	. . . . .	2,500 00
		<hr/> \$8,000 00

Park Debt.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$1,000 00
Oct., Park Loan,	\$1,000 00

Coddington Street Widening.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$30,700 00
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EXPENDED.

C. L. Prescott,	\$55 00
B. Johnson,	9 92
Pay Roll,	9,814 05
G. S. Bennett,	26 00
John F. Honihan,	435 85
William Westland,	9 35
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.,	96
Thomas Phelan,	14 00
J. W. Nash,	39 41
F. A. Skinner,	8 50
John Anderson,	278 78
Zenas Arnold,	500 00
Water Supply,	13 95
John Fallon & Sons,	55 25
G. W. Morton,	700 00
E. J. Sandberg,	5 00
H. M. Faxon,	2,980 00
Johnson & Anderson,	600 50
J. E. Keniley,	15 90
O. T. Rogers Granite Co.,	33 40
Daniel O'Connell,	270 25
F. F. Crane,	5 00
Charles K. Pratt,	65 00
Saunborn & Damon,	1 50
	<hr/> \$15,937 57
Balance,	\$14,762 43

Coddington and Wollaston Schools Plumbing.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$2,500 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$60 38
Balance,	<u>\$2,439 62</u>

Cranch Hill School House Land.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$5,000 00
Balance,	\$5,000 00

Decoration Day.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$350 00
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EXPENDED.

Post 88, G. A. R.,	\$350 00
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City Hospital.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$3,000 00
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EXPENDED.

H. M. Faxon,	\$3,000 00
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Engineering.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$300 00
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EXPENDED.

H. T. Whitman,	\$27 46
Perry Lawton,	24 60
	<u>\$296 06</u>
Balance,	\$3 94

Edgestones and Sidewalks.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$2,000 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$233 59
W. Shea & Son,	154 00
Johnson & Anderson,	610 00
John Fallon & Sons,	86 46
A. J. Richards & Son,	129 60
E. J. Sandberg,	1 88
Phipps street,	12 75

Elmwood Avenue,	\$24 50	
O. T. Rogers Granite Co.,	30 00	
Angelo Malnati,	41 48	
Harkins Bros.,	46 88	
J. Q. Wilson,	79 33	
John Anderson,	111 08	
Simpson Bros.,	318 47	
A. Clark & Co.,	34 77	
	<hr/>	\$1,913 78
Balance,		\$86 22

Goddard Street and Federal Avenue.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$200 00	
EXPENDED.		
Pay Roll,	\$199 94	
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Balance,		\$0 06

Laying Out East Elm Avenue.

Balance January 1, 1899,	\$496 18	
EXPENDED.		
Pay Roll,	\$496 18	

Faxon Road.

Balance January 1, 1899,	\$450 00	
EXPENDED.		
D. M. Biggs and H. D. Moorhouse,	\$450 00	

Fire Department.

REPAIRS AND FIXTURES.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

S. Scammell,	\$231 92	
C. W. H. Moulton,	32 00	
C. Callahan Co.,	25 00	
New York Nozzle Co.,	90 00	
	<hr/>	\$378 92

Appropriation, 1899,	\$850 00
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EXPENDED.

S. Scammell,	\$15 50
Talbot & Emerson,	386 40
S. K. Tarbox,	25 20
Charles E. Berry,	47 60
J. R. Wild,	143 90
Knight & Thomas,	5 00
C. E. Moore,	1 50
J. F. Kemp,	2 30
J. M. Fitzgerald,	1 50
A. E. Stephenson,	3 25
	<hr/> 632 15
Balance,	<hr/> \$217 85

PAY OF FIREMEN.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$14,407 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay Roll,	\$8,360 48
John Faircloth,	536 00
Pay Roll, Hose 4,	300 00
Pay Roll, Hook & Ladder No. 1,	1,491 45
Pay Roll, Combination No. 1,	381 55
M. R. Sparrow,	41 67
Pay Roll, Hose 1,	994 26
Pay Roll, Hose 3,	427 00
Pay Roll, Chemical 2,	184 68
Pay Roll, Hose 2,	127 00
Pay Roll, Combination No. 2,	265 32
Pay Roll, 6 Assistant Engineers,	239 52
Charles Flowers,	\$70 00
John Desmond,	20 00
J. Rooney,	50 00
D. J. Ford,	50 00
J. H. O'Brien,	50 00
F. C. Packard,	50 00
Hose No. 5,	140 00

W. J. Blake,	\$50 00	
G. M. Wight,	2 43	
	<hr/>	\$13,831 36
Balance,		\$575 64

HORSE SHOEING AND KEEPING.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

A. W. Woodward,	\$3 00	
Loud & Tribou,	15 35	
P. Murphy,	6 75	
D. Desmond,	16 50	
F. H. Crane & Sons,	115 47	
	<hr/>	\$157 07
Appropriation, 1899,		\$2 079 36

EXPENDED.

E. H. Doble & Co.,	\$486 36	
S. K. Tarbox & Son,	65 77	
J. R. Wild,	55 50	
Loud & Tribou,	160 53	
S. Scammell,	6 00	
D. Desmond,	147 00	
F. H. Crane & Sons,	547 15	
Talbot & Emerson,	164 00	
P. Desmond,	62 35	
Patrick Murphy,	37 75	
A. J. Richards & Son,	151 26	
J. A. Mahoney,	18 50	
A. W. Woodward,	18 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,920 17
Balance,		\$159 19

KEEPING CHIEF'S HORSE.

Appropriation,	\$200 00
Expended,	\$200 00

FIRE ALARM AND REPAIRS.

EXPENDED, FIRE ALARM ACCOUNT 1898.

J. W. Nash,	\$10 88
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EXPENDED.

John Hall,	\$2 00
Faxon Billings,	8 00
Richard Colbert,	20 00
G. H. Rhodes,	10 00
John Faircloth,	.	.	.	.	.	36 00
W. E. Deeroon,	.	.	.	.	.	25 35
Martin Frazier,	.	.	.	.	.	33 00
William Moodie,	.	.	.	.	.	20 40
M. R. Sparrow,	.	.	.	.	.	26 00
Elmer Newcomb,	.	.	.	.	.	14 00
Frank Belcher,	.	.	.	.	.	42 00
William Coffin,	.	.	.	.	.	25 00
William Westland,	.	.	.	.	.	3 95
F. A. Roger,	.	.	.	.	.	2 00
Thomas G. Clare,	.	.	.	.	.	60 00
M. Scully,	.	.	.	.	.	20 00
F. H. Stanley,	.	.	.	.	.	100 00
Thomas Douglas,	50 00
E. H. Bishop,	25 00
John B. Rheinhalter,	14 00
Frank Fahy,	28 00
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						\$575 58
Appropriation, 1899,	\$1,400 00

EXPENDED.

W. E. Deeroon,	\$206 33
John J. Galvin,	12 50
J. R. Duffy,	.	.	.	.	.	11 00
J. H. Lord,	.	.	.	.	.	15 00
George Williams,	.	.	.	.	.	87 00
John Faircloth,	.	.	.	.	.	148 00
M. Martin,	.	.	.	.	.	5 00
William Westland,	.	.	.	.	.	1 65
Michael Scully,	.	.	.	.	.	6 00
A. W. Houghly,	.	.	.	.	.	4 00
C. M. Jenness,	.	.	.	.	.	33 32
John Desmond,	.	.	.	.	.	28 00
Pettengill-Andrews Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	88 68
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	4 00

Charles Flowers,	.	.	.	.	.	\$17 00	
John Hall,	.	.	.	.	.	5 50	
B. Johnson,	.	.	.	.	.	20 58	
J. M. Fitzgerald,	.	.	.	.	.	6 40	
Abbott & Miller,	.	.	.	.	.	4 25	
George M. Stevens,	.	.	.	.	.	40 82	
E. S. Beckford,	.	.	.	.	.	1 13	
Lewis Cote,	.	.	.	.	.	51 25	
A. S. Morse,	.	.	.	.	.	6 11	
Badger Brothers,	.	.	.	.	.	57 67	
J. F. Rowe,	.	.	.	.	.	4 00	
John T. Bates,	.	.	.	.	.	18 00	
Thomas P. Fihely,	10 00	
John Fallon,	5 00	
G. W. Prescott & Son,	17 75	
H. L. Kincaide,	1 00	
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							\$916 94
Balance,		<hr/>
							\$483 06

Fire Department.

COAL AND FUEL.

Expended, Account 1898,		\$218 81	
Appropriation, 1899,		350 00	
					EXPENDED.		
C. Patch & Son,	\$105 15	
Peter McConarty,	4 00	
J. F. Sheppard & Son,	141 22	
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							\$250 37
Balance,		<hr/>
							\$99 63

LIGHTING ENGINE HOUSES.

Expended, Account 1898,		\$37 00	
Appropriation, 1899,		\$450 00	
					EXPENDED.		
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.							
For Wollaston,	.	.	.	.	.	\$27 20	
For West Quincy,	.	.	.	.	.	56 76	

For Quincy Point,	\$16 62	
For Steamer House,	175 08	
For Atlantic,	51 71	
	<hr/>	\$327 37
Balance,		<hr/> \$122 63

FIREMEN'S CLOTHING.

Appropriation, 1899,		\$200 00
EXPENDED.		
Granite Shoe Co.,	\$22 50	
J. B. Sutherland,	24 50	
	<hr/>	\$47 00
Balance,		<hr/> \$153 00

MISCELLANEOUS FIRE EXPENSES.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Ellen Gorman,	\$1 99
E. Packard & Co.	69 26
W. D. Littlefield,	5 45
Austin Winslow Express,	1 50
J. W. Nash,	3 34
S. K. Tarbox,	1 30
F. Abele,	6 00
William Westland,	49
C. H. Backus,	1 16
William Caldwell,	8 00
B. E. Sullivan,	6 86
John Faircloth	30 00
J. H. Sullivan,	25 00
Thomas G. Clare,	15 00
N. E. Telegraph & Telephone Co.,	86 62
Badger Bros.,	1 00
Tirrell & Sons,	13 45
S. F. Newcomb	2 93
L. M. Pratt & Co.,	13 90
A. L. Turner,	4 80
Sanborn & Damon,	7 20

E. H. Doble & Co.,	\$ 5 59	
M. R. Sparrow,	12 00	
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							\$322 84
Appropriation, 1899,		\$2,850 00

EXPENDED.

Glaister Manufacturing Co.	\$7 00	
J. F. Walsh,	.	.	.	.	.	3 30	
U. S. Fire Extinguisher Co.	.	.	.	.	.	40 00	
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	34 00	
William Gavin,	.	.	.	.	.	2 94	
W. C. Seelye,	.	.	.	.	.	99	
C. M. Jenness,	.	.	.	.	.	33 80	
A. A. Linscott,	.	.	.	.	.	15 45	
Knight & Thomas,	.	.	.	.	.	115 75	
C. E. Berry,	.	.	.	.	.	6 80	
T. E. Fernald,	.	.	.	.	.	8 31	
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	8 00	
Isaiah Cressey,	.	.	.	.	.	17 00	
E. P. Henderson,	.	.	.	.	.	12 00	
B. Johnson,	.	.	.	.	.	40	
F. J. Havahan,	.	.	.	.	.	8 75	
E. Packard & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	73 65	
Callahan Bros.,	.	.	.	.	.	8 00	
T. Gurney,	.	.	.	.	.	13 35	
Abbott & Miller,	.	.	.	.	.	2 00	
N. B. Fernald,	.	.	.	.	.	15 00	
T. W. Lincoln,	.	.	.	.	.	9 50	
William Westland,	.	.	.	.	.	65	
D. J. Ford,	.	.	.	.	.	5 00	
C. H. Backus,	.	.	.	.	.	98	
L. M. Pratt,	.	.	.	.	.	17 20	
Charles Flowers,	.	.	.	.	.	10 00	
H. L. Kincaide,	.	.	.	.	.	21 75	
Dame, Stoddard & Kendall,	.	.	.	.	.	4 50	
E. Menhinick,	.	.	.	.	.	19 00	
E. J. Murphy,	.	.	.	.	.	2 30	
S. D. DeForest,	.	.	.	.	.	6 00	
Shawmut Spring Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	4 85	

C. F. Pettengill,	\$ 0 35
L. T. Lyons,	15 00
George W. Peterson,	11 28
Thomas Douglas,	95 00
Tirrell & Sons,	21 30
F. H. Stanley,	30 00
S. K. Tarbox & Son,	2 60
C. Callahan Co.,	34 00
William Caldwell,	10 00
Water Supply,	54 25
Combination Ladder Co.,	475 00
A. G. Durgin,	18 13
New York & Boston Despatch Express,	12 75
Boynton & Russell,	12 05
C. C. Caswell,	2 00
T. Gurney,	70
William Westland,	1 05
F. C. Packard,	9 00
J. F. Callahan,	4 00
J. R. Wild,	78 75
James O'Brien,	9 30
J. Fallon & Sons,	5 00
Branscheid & Martens,	28 35
J. B. Reinhalter,	18 00
E. H. Doble & Co.,	6 95
N. E. Telegraph & Telephone Co.,	22 80
J. F. Merrill,	51 51
Winslow Hobart,	1 00
J. F. Morrissey,	15 35
J. Bates,	24 00
Winslow-Gallagher Express,	2 75
S. Scammell,	3 00
S. F. Newcomb,	9 76
T. P. Fihely,	8 00
A. Howley,	8 00
Michael Scully,	8 00
Alfred Bisson,	6 00
M. Brennon,	8 00
Guy & Shaw,	1 50

Eagle Oil & Supply Co.,	.	.	.	\$16 75
George W. Prescott & Son,	.	.	.	16 75
B. E. Sullivan,	.	.	.	78 78
Boston Woven Hose Co.,	.	.	.	34 73
J. F. Desmond,	.	.	.	11 00
T. L. Williams,	.	.	.	3 00
J. S. Williams,	.	.	.	40 00
Talbot & Emerson	.	.	.	147 90
Granite Shoe Store,	.	.	.	50 00
J. Faircloth,	.	.	.	28 00
George Williams,	.	.	.	4 00
J. H. Lord & Co.,	.	.	.	40 00
John J. Galvin,	.	.	.	12 50
J. Breck & Sons,	.	.	.	14 40
E. B. Souther,	.	.	.	60
Thos. F. O'Neil,	.	.	.	97 75
S. Penniman & Son,	.	.	.	13 50
G. S. Bennett,	.	.	.	7 25
J. T. Crowley,	.	.	.	32 00
James F. Rooney,	.	.	.	32 00
Mrs. Kearns,	.	.	.	15 00
James F. Malone,	.	.	.	28 00
T. F. Carroll,	.	.	.	160 00
R. J. Colbert,	.	.	.	21 00
John Deneen,	.	.	.	4 00
M. R. Sparrow,	.	.	.	74 00
				<hr/> \$2,635 51
Balance,	.	.	.	\$214 49

HORSES, HARNESS AND HOSE.

Expended, Account 1898,	.	.	.	\$250 00
Appropriation, 1899,	.	.	.	\$1,000 00
EXPENDED.				
Combination Ladder Co.,	.	.	.	\$695 00
George R. Williams,	.	.	.	190 00
Talbot & Emerson,	.	.	.	50 00
				<hr/> \$935 00
Balance,	.	.	.	\$65 00

FIRE ALARM WHISTLE AT WOLLASTON.

Appropriation, 1898,	\$400 00
Expended, Account 1898,	\$400 00

Howard Street Widening.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$1,400 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$308 67	
David Roche,	5 00	
Thomas Phelan,	14 78	
Walter Supply,	6 95	
A. R. Keith,	48 90	
T. H. Thayer,	46 70	
H. T. Whitman,	18 98	
Alexander Kenn,	135 00	
	<hr/>	\$584 98
Balance,		\$815 02

Health.**EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.**

J. J. Keniley,	\$10 50	
J. P. Landers,	3 00	
J. H. Cunningham,	10 00	
J. W. McAnarney,	10 00	
C. C. Hearn,	1 25	
E. Packard & Co.,	21 00	
F. E. Jones, M. D.,	34 00	
	<hr/>	\$89 75

Health—Advertising, Postage and Sundries.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$3,676 26
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EXPENDED.

Stamps,	\$32 00
J. H. Cunningham,	8 00
F. F. Green,	97 25
Talbot & Emerson,	11 00
F. E. Jones, M. D.,	6 00

M. Monnihan,	\$20 50	
S. Hobbs & Co.,	8 50	
New York & Boston Despatch Express, .	2 95	
E. B. Souther,	1 38	
J. W. Nash,	60	
C. C. Hearn,	21 05	
C. W. Garey, M. D.,	58 00	
A. G. Durgin,	1 00	
C. H. Goldthwaite,	38	
Simon Bennett,	1 00	
N. R. O'Brien,	2 00	
Park, Davis & Co.,	1 62	
James Dunn,	50	
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	50 87	
Melvin & Badger,	42 50	
Frank Smith,	58 00	
Edwin Lennon,	28 17	
S. Scammell,	4 85	
E. Packard & Co.,	10 55	
T. F. Ford,	5 00	
Thorp, Martin & Co.,	3 50	
Clara Penley,	3 14	
William Bradford,	5 00	
William A. Hodges,	5 00	
W. C. Hartwell,	2 50	
E. B. Brown,	1 50	
Dallon, Ingersoll & Co.,	29 00	
C. L. Hammond, Postmaster,	10 60	
J. F. Harlow,	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$548 91

Health—Nuisances.

J. Hinchon,	\$1 00	
Peter McConarty,	2 00	
E. J. Lennon,	21 90	
	<hr/>	\$24 90

Health—Inspection.

J. H. Cunningham,	\$87 00
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T. F. Ford,	\$79 67
E. J. Lennon,	433 34
							<hr/> \$600 01

Health—Garbage.

Pay roll,	\$1,560 75
F. F. Crane,	8 15
J. R. Wild,	.	.	.	.	.	.	94 45
P. J. Williams,	.	.	.	.	.	.	19 00
J. F. Gearin,	.	.	.	.	.	.	510 00
E. R. Henderson,	.	.	.	.	.	.	12 00
Water supply,	.	.	.	.	.	.	15 54
Talbot & Emerson,	.	.	.	.	.	.	9 55
E. R. Wheble,	.	.	.	.	.	.	124 50
Street Dept., Board of Horse,	.	.	.	.	.	.	148 50
							<hr/> \$2,502 44
							<hr/> \$3,676 26

Paving East Side of Hancock Street.

Appropriation, 1899	\$11,000 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$2,751 21
F. E. Jones,	8 00
W. T. Shea & Son,	4,578 00
B. Johnson,	20 10
J. W. Nash,	12 13
John Fallon & Son,	.	.	.	.	.	.	800 00
H. Gore & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,750 00
C. P. Gardiner & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	.	55 50
H. T. Whitman,	25 06
							<hr/> \$11,000 00

John Hancock Memorial Tablet.

Appropriation, 1898,	\$200 00
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EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Wheelwright & Stann,	\$23 25	
Murdock Parlor Grate Co.,	155 00	
	<hr/>	178 25
Balance,		\$21 75

Public Library.

BOOKS, PRINTING AND FUEL.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.,	\$11 21
Appropriation for Library, 1899,	\$6.095 57

PERIODICAL ACCOUNT.

A. K. Allstine,	\$322 85	
D. Appleton,	6 00	
William H. Guild & Co.,	6 90	
F. F. Green,	32 00	
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	83 15	
Home Library Supply Co.,	275 40	
Mass. Historical Society,	3 00	
Thomas J. McGrath,	3 75	
Soldiers' & Sailors' Historical Co.,	1 20	
A. L. Bumpus,	1 65	
	<hr/>	\$735 90

BOOK ACCOUNT.

A. L. Bumpus,	\$14 75	
Mass. Historical Society,	4 00	
Little, Brown & Co.,	245 74	
W. A. Greenough & Co.,	2 00	
Charles E. Lauriat Co.,	593 26	
F. S. Blanchard & Co.,	3 00	
DeWolf Fiske & Co.,	32 26	
Damrell & Upham,	4 50	
H. L. Rice,	8 30	
Sampson Murdock Co.,	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$912 81

FUEL AND LIGHT ACCOUNT.

Gas Co.	\$4 80	
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	187 20	
J. F. Sheppard & Sons,	121 06	
	————	\$313 06

SALARY ACCOUNT.

Pay roll,	\$2,582 91	
Mabel S. Baxter,	37 50	
	————	\$2,620 41

CATALOGUE ACCOUNT.

C. Cochrane,	\$576 16
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MISCELLANEOUS LIBRARY EXPENSES.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

E. B. Souther,	\$8 00
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EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1899.

A. Nugent,	\$153 35
Rubber stamps and ink,	4 45
S. Ward Co.,	22 25
Water supply,	15 00
Winslow & Gallagher Express,	51 75
A. L. Bumpus,	25 01
New York & Boston Express,	54 65
C. L. Hammond,	10 60
Hopkinson & Holden,	16 32
Boston Dry Goods Co.,	6 22
F. W. Burnham,	2 50
Eliz. P. Thurston,	5 00
J. W. Nash,	6 14
A. R. Keith,	1 25
George Ames,	1 60
Hammond Typewriter Co.,	16 00
W. Porter Co.,	238 81
Crystal Spring Co.,	3 70
Sanborn & Damon,	9 30
B. Johnson,	86
P. J. Williams Co.,	14 32

J. E. Keniley & Co.,	\$69 42	
S. E. Spencer,	1 50	
E. S. Beckford,	3 28	
Street sprinkling,	3 96	
E. Farmer,	5 75	
Martin Pfaffmann,	3 75	
Boston Duster Co.,	1 75	
Boston Safety Deposit Co.,	10 00	
F. F. Crane,	22 85	
	<hr/>	\$781 34

LIBRARY SUMMARY :

Appropriation for Library, 1899. \$6,095 57

EXPENDED.

Periodicals,	\$735 90	
Books,	912 81	
Fuel and Light,	313 06	
Salaries,	2,620 41	
Catalogue,	576 16	
Miscellaneous Expenses,	781 34	
	<hr/>	\$5,939 68
Balance,		<hr/> \$155 89

Law Department.

Appropriation, 1899, \$75 00

EXPENDED.

M. R. Warren Co.,	\$1 00	
Little, Brown & Co.,	3 25	
Municipal Engineering Co.,	2 50	
George R. B. Michie & Co.,	5 00	
Edwin Thompson Co.	30 00	
James D. Cockroft,	18 00	
	<hr/>	\$59 75
Balance,		<hr/> \$15 25

Madison Street.

Appropriation, 1899, \$600 00

EXPENDED.

Timothy Lyon,	\$101 25	
Pay roll,	342 67	
H. T. Whitman,	9 66	
T. H. Kingston,	23 10	
Hugh Gilmartin,	22 00	
	<hr/>	\$498 68
Balance,		<hr/> \$101 32

Miscellaneous City Expenses.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

A. W. Fay,	\$10 50	
R. McClellan, M. D.,	12 75	
John Hall,	47 00	
C. W. Garey, M. D.,	1 50	
J. F. Welch, M. D.,	19 75	
W. Record, M. D.,	5 75	
H. S. Hayford, M. D.,	2 25	
H. C. Hallowell, M. D.,	4 75	
J. H. Gilbert, M. D.,	3 50	
County of Norfolk,	9 28	
F. E. Jones, M. D.,	25	
A. L. Litchfield,	29 00	
City of Boston,	15 00	
J. M. Sheahan, M. D.,	28 00	
Briesler heirs,	1,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,189 28
Appropriation, 1899,		\$6,000 00

EXPENDED.

W. S. Carr & Co.,	\$3 76
A. Keating,	5 75
Norfolk County,	26 00
S. F. Copeland,	5 50
Charles R. Sherman,	5 55
G. A. Cameron,	12 00
H. W. Tirrell,	51 00
George W. Morton,	25 00
Mary Costello,	40 00

V. J. Emery,	\$30 00
Foresters' hall,	14 00
F. F. Crane,	1 25
J. E. Tirrell,	5 00
F. A. Skinner,	9 75
H. T. Whitman,	87 39
E. J. Parker,	58 00
C. Moynihan,	50 00
A. L. Tupper,	1 80
R. S. Robson,	12 65
J. M. Nowland,	3 00
A. C. Merritt,	22 50
A. F. Nichols,	16 00
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	8 50
A. G. Durgin,	3 05
C. S. Adams,	9 25
A. I. Dixon,	258 40
J. F. Welch,	7 00
W. B. Fay,	5 00
W. C. Putnam,	5 00
W. J. French,	3 00
D. A. Bruce,	3 50
J. F. McAnarney,	25 00
S. W. Ellsworth,	2 25
Paul R. Blackmur,	90 00
Story & Thorndike,	25 00
F. Burbank & Co.	5 00
A. R. Keith,	145 18
Otto Sjorgren,	3 00
J. W. Hayden,	14 50
E. L. Bean,	41 00
Clara Penley,	8 00
Sampson, Murdock & Co.,	5 00
W. A. Greenough & Co.,	16 00
John James,	3 00
Norfolk Registry of Deeds,	31 53
Water supply,	7 78
N. E. Telegraph & Telephone Co.,	233 68

J. W. Young,	\$111 40
K. H. Granger,	25
William Kelly,	200 00
Maria Drew,	1 50
S. Penniman,	55 50
J. A. Gordon,	5 75
H. P. Kittredge,	52 40
D. B. Jenness,	899 60
Prudence H. Stokes,	25 00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.,	90 00
J. E. & F. A. Tirrell,	80 00
William F. Dyer,	20 00
H. S. Hayford,	8 25
John Hall,	175 00
A. M. Litchfield,	3 00
A. A. Pope,	150 00
Beals' Decorating Co.,	43 00
W. E. Morrissey,	84 00
G. W. Clement,	25
J. H. Burdakin,	50
C. F. Veazie,	60 00
J. H. Bisson,	31 00
C. N. Hunt,	95 50
G. W. Wright,	18 50
E. J. Sheppard,	102 00
Frank Garbarino,	70 00
A. E. Nash,	104 00
Laura Brown,	65 00
C. W. Garey,	3 00
C. F. Pettengill,	50 00
Briesler heirs,	1,000 00
City Band,	100 00
Abbott & Miller,	1 00
H. A. Keith,	3 75
Whitehead, Hogue & Co.,	24 00
J. E. Maxim,	6 00
W. S. Lyons,	96 00
St. Mary's hall,	64 00

Revenue stamps,	\$3 00	
W. E. Dewdrost,	10 00	
Munich Engraving Co.,	2 00	
Belle Smith,	45 00	
W. A. Hodges,	25 00	
J. W. Nash,	10 86	
A. A. Bartlett,	300 00	
Doble's hall,	24 00	
Music hall,	30 00	
Lucy Larkin,	172 22	
A. L. Mead,	10 00	
Dr. Padula,	4 50	
	<hr/>	\$5,980 25
Balance,		<hr/> \$19 75

Nightingale Avenue.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$500 00	
EXPENDED.		
H. T. Whitman,	\$3 00	
Pay Roll,	497 00	
	<hr/>	\$500 00

Extension of Newcomb Street.

Balance January 1, 1899,	\$110 25	
Pay Roll,	108 75	
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Balance,		\$1 50

Police.

SPECIAL POLICE.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$2,500 00	
EXPENDED.		
George A. Cameron,	\$256 84	
L. G. Murray,	2 20	
T. J. McCarthy,	36 56	
P. J. Bradley,	1 30	
S. Penniman,	7 50	

C. S. Hubbard,	\$1 00
Pay roll,	1,135 80
Patrick Milford,	9 06
W. E. Morrissey,	19 62
J. J. Bradley,	10 62
John P. Lovell Arms Co.,	41 44
Edward Hayden,	3 00
James Bisson,	4 00
J. Halloran,	1 50
F. A. Skinner,	2 00
A. M. Goodhue,	693 00
E. J. Curtin,	9 12
W. S. Lyons,	42 18
E. J. Sandberg,	28 50
John Hall,	2 00
C. C. Hearn,	25
George T. Magee,	2 00
S. DeForest,	104 24
David L. Gordon,	50 28
E. J. Curtis,	9 00
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	\$2,473 01
Balance,	<hr/>
	\$26 99

PERMANENT POLICE.

Appropriation,	\$7,488 00
EXPENDED.	
Pay roll,	7,488 00

CHIEF OF POLICE.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$1,000 00
EXPENDED.	
A. L. Litchfield,	\$98 20
J. W. Hayden,	901 80
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	\$1,000 00

ENFORCEMENT OF LIQUOR LAW.

Appropriation, 1899	\$1,200 00
EXPENDED.	
T. F. Ferguson,	\$92 65
D. R. McKay,	769 62
E. J. Curtin,	1 50

James Denward,	\$1 50	
D. J. Barry,	13 50	
W. E. Morrissey,	10 00	
G. T. Magee,	16 00	
Pay roll,	10 50	
D. L. Gordon,	22 40	
P. R. Blackmur,	150 00	
W. S. Lyons,	3 00	
Nicholas Garbarino,	15 00	
C. Moynihan,	2 00	
Edward E. Hayden,	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,110 67
Balance,		<hr/> \$89 33

POLICE STATION.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

E. Weightman,	\$14 00	
W. L. Chase,	5 15	
E. Packard & Co.	35	
J. W. Nash,	80	
	<hr/>	\$20 30
Appropriation, 1899,		\$450 00

EXPENDED.

A. L. Litchfield,	\$19 64	
Gas Co.,	6 60	
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	10 00	
W. W. Weightman,	103 20	
E. B. Souther,	10 20	
J. W. Hayden,	196 35	
J. W. Nash,	2 10	
W. L. Chase,	15 10	
	<hr/>	\$363 19
Balance,		<hr/> \$86 81

Parks and Playgrounds.

Appropriation,	\$250 00	
Income,	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$300 00

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

George O. Langley,	\$4 28
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EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1899.

John Hall,	\$3 00
Daniel Ford,	21 75
George E. Thomas,	32 32
P. J. Williams & Co.,	30 00
Schegel & Fottler,	15 90
Ed. Murphy,	67 51
J. M. Delory,	125 00
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	\$295 48
Balance,	<hr/>
	\$4 52

Paving Quarry Street.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$7,500 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$2,132 10
O. T. Rogers Granite Co.,	95 95
C. W. Garey, M. D.,	12 00
William Shea & Son,	2,101 04
Barnabas Clarke,	200 00
John Fallon & Sons,	1,134 22
J. W. Nash,	7 81
Johnson & Anderson,	120 75
Hugh Gilmartin,	49 00
H. T. Whitman,	92 84
H. Gore & Co.,	1,500 00
E. J. Sandberg,	21 25
Thomas Phelan,	3 50
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	\$7,470 46
Balance,	<hr/>
	\$29 54

Repair of Public Buildings.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Water supply,	\$1 54
J. J. Keniley	1 65
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	20 60

D. J. Decker & Co.,	.	.	.	.	\$8 75
Wollaston foundry,	.	.	.	.	2 31
C. S. Hubbard,	.	.	.	.	2 63
Sanborn & Damon,	.	.	.	.	5 80
Gas Co.	.	.	.	.	23 60
J. W. Nash,	.	.	.	.	2 54
E. S. Beckford,	.	.	.	.	25 00
F. J. Haverhan,	.	.	.	.	3 75
A. L. Litchfield,	.	.	.	.	116 36
C. Patch & Son,	.	.	.	.	111 20
F. F. Crane,	.	.	.	.	5 67
George A. Mayo,	.	.	.	.	98 21
					<hr/> \$429 61
Appropriation, 1899,	.	.	.	.	\$4,500 00

EXPENDED.

Water supply,	City Hall,	\$20 00
Amer. Mason, Safety Patent Ste.,	"	10 00
J. W. Hersey,	"	5 00
C. S. Hubbard,	"	3 02
Mossler Safe Co.,	"	2 35
E. S. Beckford,	"	10 49
Puritan Spring Water Co.,	"	2 50
F. F. Crane,	"	39 35
H. W. Tirrell,	"	673 53
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	"	347 69
W. H. Brasee,	"	1 50
Gas Co.	"	281 02
C. F. Pettingell,	"	4 00
E. Packard,	"	4 60
Ames Plow Co.,	"	6 00
E. E. Hayden,	"	65
Crystal Spring Ice Co.,	"	30 00
J. W. Nash,	"	14 47
A. R. Keith,	"	26 32
H. L. Kincaide & Co.,	"	134 50
M. F. Newcomb,	"	2 75
C. C. Hearn,	"	4 45

J. E. Keniley,	City Hall,	\$15 30
C. Patch & Son,	"	113 80
William Westland,	"	3 55
C. M. Jenness,	"	4 13
F. J. Haverhan,	"	16 00
N. Y. & B. Despatch Express,	"	1 15
B. Johnson,	"	1 85
Boston Duster Co.,	"	1 75
W. H. Glennon,	"	6 03
Abbott & Miller,	"	25
E. Menhinick,	Steamer House,	17 10
William Westland,	"	81
F. F. Crane,	"	50
C. M. Jenness,	"	1 75
P. J. Williams,	"	71 01
J. W. Hersey,	"	39 30
B. Johnson,	old Steamer House,	5 33
William Westland,	"	5 06
P. J. Williams,	"	22 00
Harkins Bros.,	"	11 50
B. Johnson,	Hose 2 House,	42 84
H. W. Tirrell,	"	202 48
Pay roll,	"	29 86
V. J. Emery,	"	3 01
E. S. Thomas,	"	3 75
A. R. Keith,	"	12 33
G. B. Bates,	"	4 65
J. W. Hersey,	Hose 3 House,	44 48
B. Johnson,	"	31 25
William Westland,	"	10 40
George A. Mayo,	"	77 10
L. M. Hamm Co.,	Police Station,	1 25
E. Menhinick,	"	13 80
B. Johnson,	"	4 59
J. E. Keniley,	"	1 35
J. E. Keniley,	City Stables,	2 45
Badger Bros.,	"	3 65
D. Roach,	"	30 00
Water supply,	"	49 24

E. S. Beckford,	City Hall,	\$30 24
S. H. Edwards,	Engine House, Ward 6,	3 50
S. H. Edwards,	Hose House, West Quincy,	72 33
Sanborn & Damon,	" "	7 87
P. J. Williams,	" "	10 30
P. J. Williams,	Hose house, Atlantic,	11 10
T. J. Johnson & Co.,	Hose house Ward 5,	2 00
Pay roll,	.	3 50
William Westland,	Miscellaneous,	5 55
J. W. Nash,	"	7 42
Pay roll,	"	119 08
		<hr/> \$2,803 75

J. A. Swasey,	Wollaston School,	\$33 50
G. E. Thompson,	" "	7 05
V. J. Emery,	" "	62 66
A. R. Keith,	" "	2 50
F. F. Crane,	" "	1 00
B. Johnson,	" "	3 22
J. W. Hersey,	" "	16 80
P. J. Williams,	" "	44 40
A. J. Richards & Son,	Adams School,	1 00
William Westland,	" "	13 73
J. M. Fitzgerald,	" "	59 00
J. W. Hersey,	" "	5 80
P. J. Williams,	" "	12 95
A. R. Keith,	High School,	69 63
F. F. Crane,	" "	14 39
J. E. Keniley,	" "	4 93
B. Johnson,	" "	3 60
Pay roll,	" "	5 00
William Hall & Co.,	" "	75
J. W. Hersey,	" "	21 75
Gas Co.,	" "	92
Jonas Shackley,	Gridley Bryant School,	1 57
George A. Mayo,	" "	1 25
P. J. Williams	" "	18 00
Adam Vogel & Son,	" "	2 00
J. T. Thomas,	" "	7 41

A. R. Keith,	Gridley Bryant School,	\$16 60
E. S. Beckford,	" "	1 90
B. Johnson,	" "	2 45
J. W. Nash,	" "	50
F. F. Crane,	" "	35
J. W. Nash,	Washington School,	75
Sanborn & Damon,	" "	6 75
William Caldwell,	" "	2 00
G. B. Bates,	" "	10 50
J. W. Hersey,	" "	21 50
B. Johnson,	" "	17 80
P. J. Williams,	" "	2 45
F. F. Crane,	Coddington School,	10 10
J. E. Keniley,	" "	9 95
B. Johnson,	" "	3 13
A. R. Keith,	" "	2 91
J. W. Hersey,	" "	41 20
G. B. Bates,	" "	8 66
P. J. Williams,	" "	47 25
Lynch & Woodward,	Quincy School,	3 70
F. F. Crane,	" "	3 50
A. R. Keith,	" "	7 79
B. Johnson,	" "	3 13
E. S. Beckford,	" "	3 90
Alexander Clark,	" "	85
P. J. Williams,	" "	35 23
B. Johnson,	Massachusetts Fields School,	23 34
C. F. Marr,	" " "	56 52
A. R. Keith,	" " "	32 24
E. S. Thomas,	" " "	19 75
J. W. Hersey,	" " "	8 30
E. S. Beckford,	" " "	2 37
J. G. Thomas,	" " "	8 23
Alexander Clark,	" " "	80
P. J. Williams & Co.,	" " "	121 60
V. J. Emery,	" " "	1 80
N.Y., N.H. & H.R.R.,	Miscellaneous school,	25
J. McFarland & Son,	" "	2 27
E. W. Bailey & Co.,	" "	19 60

E. S. Beckford,	Committee's office,	\$4 00
William Westland,	" "	4 50
William Glennon,	" "	7 97
Pay roll,	" "	23 75
Peter Dackers,	John Hancock School,	26 46
B. Johnson,	" " "	4 70
J. A. Swasey,	" " "	50 80
A. R. Keith,	" " "	65 71
J. W. Hersey,	" " "	70 11
E. S. Beckford,	" " "	3 68
F. F. Crane,	" " "	6 90
Pay roll,	Willard School,	5 25
B. Johnson,	" "	9 01
E. S. Beckford,	" "	13 99
J. W. Hersey,	" "	43 95
P. J. Williams,	" "	53 25
George A. Mayo,	" "	20 00
E. S. Beckford,	Old High School,	1 39
Alexander Clark,	" "	25
P. J. Williams,	" "	71 75
H. W. Tirrell,	Lincoln School,	75 00
G. O. Shirley,	" "	3 00
J. A. Swasey,	" "	16 10
George A. Mayo,	" "	6 00
J. E. Keniley,	" "	3 05
C. F. Marr,	" "	4 12
P. J. Williams,	" "	78 90
J. M. Fitzgerald,	" "	5 50
J. W. Hersey,	" "	29 21
B. Johnson,	" "	1 20
		<hr/> \$1,686 23
Balance,		<hr/> \$10 04

Payne Street.

Balance, Appropriation 1898,	\$243 79
Appropriation, 1899,	300 00
	<hr/> \$543 79

EXPENDED.

M. Burns,	\$15 00	
C. Moynihan,	100 00	
Mrs. Mary A. Costello,	70 00	
P. A. Fredwicks,	20 00	
Joseph L. Heaney,	4 50	
Pay roll,	263 56	
H. T. Whitman,	6 75	
Streets,	63 98	
	<hr/>	\$543 79

Culvert, Washington and Canal Streets.

Balance, Appropriation 1898,	\$347 52
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EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Alexander Kenn,	\$100 00	
Pay roll,	104 15	
Johnson & Anderson,	15 00	
John Fallon & Sons,	79 00	
A. J. Richards & Son,	28 75	
M. F. Newcomb,	20 62	
	<hr/>	\$347 52

Appropriation from Balances, 1899,	\$200 00
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EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1899.

Pay roll,	\$35 02	
N. E. Bolt & Nut Co.,	2 33	
Means & Thatcher,	7 50	
Alexander Kenn,	100 00	
Alexander Kenn,	48 90	
	<hr/>	\$193 75
Balance,		<hr/> \$6 25

Sewers—Maintenance.

Appropriation, 1899	\$6,000 00
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EXPENDED.

H. Weiting,	\$168 00
C. A. Claflin & Co.,	8 70
G. B. Bates,	18 12

A. W. Chesterton,	\$3 45
Pay roll,	1,499 62
V. J. Emery,	50
George William Waite Co.,	16 50
Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.,	62 43
J. W. Nash,	10 88
William Westland,	1 25
C. Patch & Son,	857 23
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.,	2 22
Underhay Oil Co.,	48 53
Dean Steam Pump Co.,	19 05
Walworth Manufacturing Co.,	22 42
E. S. Thomas,	40 15
Boston Bolt Company.,	1 68
Boston Woven Hose Co.,	10 15
George E. Thomas,	37 48
B. Johnson,	4 35
Duval Met. Pack. Co.,	60 50
Abbott & Miller,	2 10
George W. Jones,	26 75
Ames & Bradford,	22 70
Eagle Oil Supply Co.,	1 70
Cotton & Gould,	11 00
Coffin Valve Co.,	4 04
Knolton Pick Co.,	72
Boston Rod Coupling Co.,	57 00
A. J. Richards & Son,	3 23
Chapman Valve Co.,	27 42
F. J. Perry,	67
N. Y. & Boston Despatch Express,	80
E. S. Beckford,	75
Hartford Boiler Insurance Co.,	100 00
	<hr/> \$3,152 09

Sewers—Assessments.

Pay roll,	\$897 83
Sewers,	265 55
A. B. Brackett,	10 00
Globe Stamp Co.,	2 50

C. L. Hammond, postmaster,	\$41 44	
R. S. Jones,	9 00	
Winslow & Gallagher Express,	25	
E. B. Brown,	45 00	
Cotton & Gould,	30 75	
W. S. Slocum,	100 00	
A. J. Bailey,	100 00	
P. R. Blackmur,	238 00	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.,	3 75	
	<hr/>	\$1,744 07
Balance,		<hr/> \$1,103 84

Sewers—Construction.

Balance, 1898, . . . . .	.\$30,108 84	
Appropriation, 1899, . . . . .	.\$73,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$103,108 84

EXPENDED.

Pay roll, . . . . .	.\$30,122 34	
Dean Steam Pump Works,	3,656 85	
Long & Little,	3,229 35	
N. E. Telegraph & Telephone Co.,	196 17	
C. R. Sherman,	25 25	
O. A. Cobb & Co.,	68 68	
Wollaston Park grocery,	90	
N. Y. & B. Despatch Express,	6 30	
A. W. Bryne Construction Co.,	5,458 14	
City of Medford,	40 50	
Badger Bros.,	8 69	
Patrick Cain,	50 00	
J. W. McAnarney,	80 00	
F. J. Perry,	1 38	
Q. & B. Street Railway,	268 00	
Frost & Adams,	70 84	
Water supply,	798 68	
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	47 81	
Charles Lyons,	21 85	
Walworth Manufacturing Co.,	214 86	
E. B. Souther,	5 78	

Mary Crowley,	\$8 00
Mechanics Iron Foundry,	1,186 01
H. T. Whitman,	148 46
Wollaston Steam Laundry,	1 08
A. B. Brackett,	15 00
Boynton & Russell,	33 90
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.,	474 09
J. W. Nash,	183 90
N. S. Hunting, M. D.,	3 00
C. A. Claffin & Co.,	51 43
J. Alconie,	8 75
H. H. Faxon,	113 63
Abbott & Miller,	10 35
C. A. Penley,	1 50
W. G. A. Pattee,	250 00
J. A. Cook,	31 05
George W. Prescott & Sons,	20 25
R. S. Jones,	9 75
C. C. Hutchinson,	35 75
S. Ward & Co.,	1 38
James Scott,	582 24
Granite Shoe store,	36 25
J. E. McDonald,	54 75
Spaulding Print Paper Co.,	14 53
J. H. Gillis,	20
Boston Woven Hose Co.,	120 90
Edison Manufacturing Co.,	7 20
Revere Rubber Co.,	3 52
Henry Carmichael,	25 00
Waldo Brothers,	3,120 45
M. F. Brennon & Co.,	105 80
Rogers Brothers,	25
Winslow & Gallagher Express,	4 40
J. F. Merrill,	9 75
Boston Bank Note Co.,	65 00
A. J. Richards & Son,	8,415 10
B. Johnson,	898 77
P. R. Blackmur,	412 00

F. F. Crane,	\$13 77
J. G. Thomas,	5 27
W. C. Hartwell,	16 75
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.,	50
Boston Herald Co.,	17 38
C. Patch & Son,	488 32
Crosby Steam Gage Co.,	3 64
W. G. Shaw,	28 75
C. L. Hammond, postmaster,	12 50
Engineering News Publishing Co.,	11 40
J. J. Shannon,	99 00
Ex. Deeds, Dedham,	16 10
Elliott & Hatch,	8 00
Streets,	5,077 73
James L. Bryne,	330 00
G. R. Sampson,	1,567 50
George W. Jones,	49 90
George Ames,	2 60
F. F. Green,	3 25
Smith & Lovett,	23 83
A. J. Wilkinson,	5 50
Pinel Brothers,	26 47
E. S. Beckford,	98 48
George A. Mayo,	13 43
William Westland,	19 71
Globe News Co.,	15 13
Oriental Powder Co.,	76 05
W. A. Greenough,	2 00
C. W. H. Moulton,	14 00
J. J. Carville,	114 61
E. T. Spear,	30 00
Adams Real Estate Trust,	211 77
Engineering Record,	7 60
M. J. O'Hearn and S. J. Kelly,	7,702 69
C. S. Hubbard,	134 26
R. P. Eaton,	750 00
Thomas O'Neal,	7 16
H. W. Bailey,	200 00

Perrin, Leaman & Co.,	\$36 94
Talbot & Emerson,	30
S. Hobbs & Co.,	8 45
C. S. Adams,	3 00
Greenleaf Land Co.,	6 50
Theo. King,	340 00
A. G. Durgin,	370 00
H. D. Fowler,	20
James Driscoll & Son,	9,346 47
W. W. White & Co.,	3 00
F. E. Nightingale,	3 25
James Colligan,	10 00
J. F. Sheppard & Son,	501 93
Thorp & Martin,	80
Thomas O'Brien & Sons,	13 00
G. B. Bates,	45
F. P. Waterhouse,	988 75
H. Gore & Co.,	1,461 61
Brooks Adams,	127 00
E. H. Doble & Co.,	7 70
R. Bainbridge,	3 75
W. P. Pinel,	25
Herbert Riley,	50
J. M. Fitzgerald,	3 00
H. W. Smith,	1 50
Ames & Bradford,	9 42
H. L. Kincaide & Co.,	42
A. G. Olney,	9 25
A. A. Murphy,	13 00
Granite Clothing Co.,	2 00
Tirrell & Sons,	10 00
A. Sandberg,	90
Cranch Hill Real Estate Trust,	72 09
S. F. Brown,	1 20
P. J. Williams & Co.,	29 71
A. H. Doble & Co.,	5 60
Charles Wilson,	30 60
G. F. Wilson & Co.,	60

John Cashman,	\$47 00
John H. Ash, M. D.,	5 00
J. P. O'Connell,	39 00
John Connelly,	8 40
Revenue stamps,	2 00
M. J. O'Hearn,	18 75
Crystal Spring Ice Co.,	9 90
McNiff & Hofferty,	6 00
	<hr/> \$91,600 00
Less credits from other departments,	517 18
	<hr/> \$91,082 82
Balance,	<hr/> \$12,026 02

Sewers—House Connections.

Appropriation,	\$9,356 40
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EXPENDED.

Winslow & Gallagher express,	\$1 85
Tirrell & Sons,	335 00
Water supply,	12 67
Cotton & Gould,	275 01
Pay roll,	5,713 43
I. M. Lowe,	6 00
P. Desmond,	1 00
Sewers, house connections,	236 17
C. M. Jenness,	4 00
B. Johnson,	133 14
J. W. Nash,	69 19
Granite Shoe store,	15 00
Waldo Bros.,	13 00
W. C. Hartwell,	1 50
Rogers Bros.,	50
Street Department,	2 50
J. E. Keniley,	3 50
Alex. C. Clark,	1 65
A. R. Keith,	2 87
J. F. Havahan,	78 75
A. J. Richards & Son,	1,361 18

F. K. Brown,	\$12 00
Ames Plow Co.,	156 30
David Brown,	4 71
Quincy & Boston Street Railway,	10 00
H. C. Cahoon,	4 17
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.,	1 50
N. Y. & B. Despatch Express,	1 50
Boynton & Russell,	2 85
H. S. Hayford, M. D.,	5 00
F. J. Perry,	2 45
T. W. Lincoln,	68 40
J. A. Cook,	75
E. B. Brown,	16 50
Pinel Bros.,	12 32
Miss Nightingale,	40 00
George E. Thomas,	23 00
C. L. Hammond, Postmaster,	2 00
A. F. Hall,	60
James Scott,	6 38
George W. Jones,	18 00
F. F. Crane,	32
	<hr/> \$8,656 66
Balance,	\$699 74

General Repair of Streets.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

E. Farmer,	\$9 30
T. Gilcoine,	52 30
W. H. Ripley,	8 39
B. Johnson,	3 25
T. Gurney,	6 92
George W. Jones,	4 00
D. Desmond,	9 26
J. A. Mahoney,	2 50
A. G. Durgin,	65
J. F. Sheppard & Sons,	11 32
E. Packard & Co.,	1 40
L. M. Pratt & Co.,	10

C. C. Hearn,	\$0 85	
J. F. Kemp,	1 70	
E. H. Doble & Co.,	45	
C. L. Prescott,	36 00	
T. H. Kingston,	2 80	
E. P. Henderson,	44 50	
F. H. Crane & Sons,	22 60	
Sewer,	12 96	
F. P. Merrill,	13 00	
P. R. Blackmur,	16 40	
M. A. Mitten,	9 40	
Sampson Brothers Corporation,	337 83	
	<hr/>	\$607 88
Appropriation, 1899,	\$22,000 00	
Credits,	474 30	
	<hr/>	\$22,474 30

EXPENDED.

Timothy Downey,	\$42 00
M. A. Mitten,	272 80
C. L. Prescott,	90 00
Ames Plow Co.,	330 68
J. W. Nash,	79 70
Means & Thatcher,	26 40
T. H. Kingston,	81 60
M. A. Murphy,	9 56
C. A. Dutton,	202 40
W. H. Ripley,	39 39
E. P. Henderson,	35 50
W. Shea & Son,	32 50
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.,	13 25
E. H. Doble & Co.,	1 00
Edward M. O'Brien,	26 00
C. C. Hodgkinson,	146 14
E. Glover,	12 00
J. T. Hourihan,	287 25
H. Gore & Co.,	137 78
F. A. Skinner,	4 00
Sanborn & Damon,	50

O. T. Rogers Granite Co.,	.	.	.	\$72 92
James Dunn,	.	.	.	2 50
David Roche,	.	.	.	15 00
G. S. Bennett,	.	.	.	30 00
J. E. Glover,	.	.	.	12 00
John Smith,	.	.	.	1 20
Peter Harnhan,	.	.	.	15 00
J. B. Foley,	.	.	.	14 00
E. G. Murphy,	.	.	.	3 65
James O'Brien.	.	.	.	20 72
Hugh Gilmartin,	.	.	.	50 00
J. F. Sheppard & Son,	.	.	.	22 00
N. Y. & B. Despatch Express,	.	.	.	22 20
Cavanagh Bros.,	.	.	.	965 00
A. W. Chesterton & Co.,	.	.	.	201 53
F. Abele,	.	.	.	20 00
Edward Cunniff,	.	.	.	1 75
David Brown,	.	.	.	1 65
P. Murphy,	.	.	.	1 00
John A. Mahoney,	.	.	.	2 50
G. A. Mayo,	.	.	.	3 70
A. A. Hayden,	.	.	.	1 25
C. F. Pettengill,	.	.	.	7 70
A. C. Harvey Co.,	.	.	.	526 16
Q. Tirrell & Co.,	.	.	.	10 50
A. B. Packard,	.	.	.	20 33
John Anderson,	.	.	.	106 42
L. G. Stone,	.	.	.	3 75
C. Patch & Son,	.	.	.	443 72
George W. Waite Co.,	.	.	.	61 60
M. F. Newcomb,	.	.	.	56 25
J. F. Kemp,	.	.	.	5 58
Winslow & Gallagher express,	.	.	.	11 65
Talbot & Emerson,	.	.	.	28 90
F. J. Perry,	.	.	.	5 09
F. K. Brown,	.	.	.	27 36
B. B. Baldwin,	.	.	.	36 00
Granite Shoe store,	.	.	.	11 75

Badger Bros.,	.	.	.	.	.	\$40 73
J. Fallon & Sons,	.	.	.	.	.	56 00
Joseph Houston,	.	.	.	.	.	12 00
J. McFarland & Sons,	.	.	.	.	.	6 11
Thomas Whelan,	.	.	.	.	.	178 20
R. J. Teasdale,	.	.	.	.	.	224 85
J. A. Carr,	.	.	.	.	.	10 73
J. Curtin,	.	.	.	.	.	6 23
R. G. Curtis,	.	.	.	.	.	1 00
Craig, Donovan & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	79 69
H. M. Faxon,	.	.	.	.	.	68 75
Pay roll,	.	.	.	.	.	19,853 26
Water supply,	.	.	.	.	.	17 00
E. Farnum,	.	.	.	.	.	20 40
C. F. Knowlton,	.	.	.	.	.	20 00
Est. Terrance Keenan,	.	.	.	.	.	221 39
Quincy & Boston Street Railway,,	.	.	.	.	.	39 80
J. R. Wild,	.	.	.	.	.	18 05
J. Connelly,	.	.	.	.	.	1 08
George Ames,	.	.	.	.	.	9 43
H. F. Doble,	.	.	.	.	.	64 80
George O. Langley,	.	.	.	.	.	7 00
F. H. Crane & Sons,	.	.	.	.	.	355 29
A. J. Richards & Son,	.	.	.	.	.	1,478 67
Harkins Bros.,	.	.	.	.	.	2 38
W. R. Lofgren,	.	.	.	.	.	58 64
E. Packard & Son,	.	.	.	.	.	45 42
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	175 25
Julius Johnson,	.	.	.	.	.	13 05
B. Johnson,	.	.	.	.	.	329 52
Tirrell & Sons,	.	.	.	.	.	895 33
H. H. Faxon,	.	.	.	.	.	8 00
Charles Wilson,	.	.	.	.	.	11 50
Abbott & Miller,	.	.	.	.	.	30
A. R. Keith,	.	.	.	.	.	14 38
A. G. Durgin,	.	.	.	.	.	4 85
C. C. Hearn,	.	.	.	.	.	3 90
A. J. Wellington,	.	.	.	.	.	102 65

Johnson & Anderson,	\$16 00	
F. F. Crane,	4 74	
George H. Sampson,	1 50	
Old Colony Broken Stone Co.,	514 00	
D. Desmond,	146 39	
	<hr/>	\$29,851 04
Less transfer from other Departments,		\$7,850 79
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		\$22,000 25

Permanent Sidewalks.

Balance Jan., 1898,	\$103 16
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EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Charles Wilson,	\$70 00
Pay roll,	33 16
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	\$103 16

Appropriation 1899,	\$8,000 00
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EXPENDED.

Simpson Bros.,	\$2,538 29
Pay roll,	1,181 42
John Fallon & Sons,	700 46
O. T. Rogers Granite Co.,	343 40
John Anderson,	559 48
Johnson & Anderson,	970 75
J. W. Ward,	9 97
C. G. Kelley,	6 10
A. J. Richards & Son,	642 50
Hugh Kilmartin.	208 00
Walter H. Ripley,	45 80
B. Johnson,	4 35
J. P. McCarty,	9 72
C. M. Jenness,	3 82
H. T. Whitman,	35 31
Harkins Bros.,	215 01
J. W. Baillie	97
E. J. Sandberg,	23 76
E. V. Trask,	32 16
C. A. Dutton,	36 80

H. Gore & Co.,	\$72 00	
Streets,	360 43	
	<hr/>	\$8,000 00

Playgrounds.

Balance Jan. 1, 1899,	\$2,722 46	
Balance,	\$2,722 46	
Received from sale of Playground Ward 5,	\$4,000 00	
Balance,	\$4,000 00	

School Street Widening.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$2,500 00	
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EXPENDED.

Mary T. Lawton,	\$1,500 00	
Perry Lawton,	14 00	
H. T. Whitman,	12 00	
Pay roll,	438 98	
John Wesson,	10 89	
John Anderson,	175 00	
J. W. Nash,	2 21	
	<hr/>	\$2,153 08
Balance,		\$346 92

Street Lighting.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Quincy Electric Light & Power Co., .	\$69 69	
Appropriation, 1899,	\$17,600 00	

EXPENDED.

Wheeler Reflector Co.,	\$1,333 98	
Gas Co.,	1,340 04	
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co., .	14,787 15	
	<hr/>	\$17,461 17
Balance,		\$138 83

Street Watering.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$4,400 00	
Appropriation from balances, 1898, . .	400 00	
	<hr/>	\$4,800 00

EXPENDED.

American Car Sprinkler Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	\$3,300 00	
H. T. Whitman,	.	.	.	.	.	33 12	
Streets,	.	.	.	.	.	1,400 00	
A. M. Nightingale,	.	.	.	.	.	35 00	
						<hr/>	\$4,768 12
Balance,	.	.	.	.	.		\$31 88

Removal of Snow.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

John Cashman,	.	.	.	.	.	\$75 00	
J. Gearin,	.	.	.	.	.	15 20	
M. A. Mitten,	.	.	.	.	.	42 00	
						<hr/>	\$132 20
Appropriation, 1899,	.	.	.	.	.	\$9,500 00	
Appropriation from Street Railway Tax,	.	.	.	.	.	200 00	
						<hr/>	\$9,700 00

EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	.	.	.	.	.	\$8,488 75	
E. J. Sandberg,	.	.	.	.	.	141 50	
Hugh Kilmartin,	.	.	.	.	.	256 50	
James Ward,	.	.	.	.	.	24 00	
John McCarty,	.	.	.	.	.	13 20	
A. E. Nash,	.	.	.	.	.	7 50	
Lawrence White,	.	.	.	.	.	14 40	
Thomas Whalen,	.	.	.	.	.	33 85	
E. J. Lane,	.	.	.	.	.	8 00	
J. Falvey,	.	.	.	.	.	13 95	
John C. Ballou,	.	.	.	.	.	90 75	
John Gill,	.	.	.	.	.	4 50	
O. T. Rogers Granite Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	32 40	
A. Reinhalter,	.	.	.	.	.	17 00	
C. L. Prescott,	.	.	.	.	.	23 50	
T. Keenan,	.	.	.	.	.	32 00	
E. Menhinick,	3 00	
Henry Laval,	50 17	
Loud & Tribou,	13 70	
Boynton & Russell,	14 00	

Balance,	\$70 22
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State and Military Aid.

EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.

Pay roll,	\$10	00
Appropriation, 1899,			\$6,732	00

EXPENDED, CHAPTER 301.

Pay roll,	.	.	.	.	.	\$4,188	00
A. Merrill,	.	.	.	.	.	4	00
H. J. Hunt,	.	.	.	.	.	4	00
S. Gourley,	.	.	.	.	.	4	00
G. A. Bent,	.	.	.	.	.	3	00
						—————	\$4,203 00

EXPENDED, CHAPTER 447.

J. F. Moran,	.	.	.	.	.	\$270	00
George H. Nicholson,	.	.	.	.	.	8	00
Pay roll,	.	.	.	.	.	1,418	00
C. F. Moran,	42	00
David Jordan,	10	00
M. E. Behan,	5	00
						—————	\$1,753 00

EXPENDED, CHAPTER 279.

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EXPENDED, CHAPTER 561.

Mary Logan,	\$4 00	
Pay roll,	202 00	
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Street Crossings.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$1,000 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$240 83	
O. T. Rogers Granite Co.,	634 60	
W. Shea & Son,	121 80	
	<hr/>	\$997 23
Balance,		<hr/> \$2 77

Widening Hancock Street near Music Hall.

Balance, January 1, 1899,	\$1,434 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$299 95	
H. H. Faxon,	406 25	
	<hr/>	\$706 20
Balance,		<hr/> \$727 80

Draining Old Colony Street, Ward 6.

Balance, January 1, 1899,	\$187 10
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Balance,	<hr/> \$187 10
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Widening Hancock and Granite Streets.

Balance, January 1, 1899,	\$1,000 00
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Balance,	<hr/> \$1,000 00
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Tafford Street, Rebuilding and Regrading.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$500 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$475 37
H. T. Whitman,	21 60

J. W. Nash,	\$2 33	
	<hr/>	\$499 30
Balance,		<hr/> \$0 70

Willard Street Lines.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$1,500 00
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EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$1,062 23	
Daniel O'Connor,	300 94	
R. J. Teasdale,	2 00	
Berry Bros.,	21 00	
John Vogel,	19 85	
J. W. Nash,	3 02	
B. Johnson,	40 40	
H. T. Whitman	28 83	
Daniel Copp,	18 75	
	<hr/>	\$1,497 02
Balance,		<hr/> \$2 98

Willard Street Wall.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$200 00
Balance,	<hr/> \$200 00

Water Supply—Maintenance.**EXPENDED, ACCOUNT 1898.**

E. B. Souther,	\$2 68	
William Westland,	80	
Sanborn & Damon,	2 30	
Daniel Russell,	2 50	
E. Packard & Co.,	1 05	
J. W. Nash,	2 69	
C. M. Jenness,	2 34	
Charles Miller,	2 55	
Town of Braintree, tax of 1897,	49 82	
Town of Braintree, tax of 1898,	48 23	
	<hr/>	\$114 96

Appropriation, 1899, \$9,000 00

EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$4,755 59
W. W. Ewell,	490 00
C. L. Hammond,	176 80
Ashcroft Manufacturing Co.,	10 00
C. A. Claflin & Co.,	7 98
Gas Co.,	38 91
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.,	1 00
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.,	145 00
New York & Boston Despatch Express,	17 95
Old Colony Boot & Shoe Co.,	2 40
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,	11 60
Water supply,	4 50
A. J. Richards & Son,	154 24
E. B. Souther,	3 61
J. F. Sheppard & Son,	146 55
Estate of C. P. Tirrell,	336 00
H. T. Whitman,	12 00
J. R. Wild,	5 55
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.,	56 16
George W. Jones,	12 00
S. Hobbs & Co.,	7 25
F. F. Green,	33 50
Tirrell & Sons,	333 87
F. Abele,	2 00
F. H. Crane & Sons,	36 26
B. Johnson,	125 68
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	23 00
Talbot & Emerson,	138 28
J. W. Nash,	83 57
A. B. Packard,	1 70
Quincy & Boston Street Railway Co.,	80 00
George Ames,	75
Winslow & Gallagher Co.,	25 77
Willam Westland,	19 00
Coffin Valve Co.,	4 08
C. F. Carlson,	7 50

Charles Miller,	.	.	.	.	.	\$27 15
J. F. Hourihan,	.	.	.	.	.	95 60
C. W. Hudson Oil Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	1 50
Thomas Hoey,	.	.	.	.	.	117 28
A. Mudge & Son,	.	.	.	.	.	33 00
E. B. Brown,	.	.	.	.	.	128 00
Billings, King & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	8 05
A. C. Harvey Co.	.	.	.	.	.	35 78
C. Patch & Son,	.	.	.	.	.	11 40
Robt. W. Niff,	.	.	.	.	.	19 80
S. Scammell,	.	.	.	.	.	2 00
Fire and water,	.	.	.	.	.	3 00
C. F. Pettengill,	.	.	.	.	.	2 95
E. S. Beckford,	.	.	.	.	.	2 55
P. Buckley,	.	.	.	.	.	25 00
Lynn Electric Nov. Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	6 00
J. P. O'Brien,	.	.	.	.	.	4 30
Chapman Valve Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	6 02
Streets,	.	.	.	.	.	780 00
G. F. Wilson,	.	.	.	.	.	60
Wyckoff Leaman & Benedict,	.	.	.	.	.	2 80
William Hayden,	.	.	.	.	.	11 38
Pinel Bros.,	.	.	.	.	.	19 65
Edward Ferguson,	.	.	.	.	.	3 50
Sumner & Goodwin,	.	.	.	.	.	30 00
J. E. Keniley,	.	.	.	.	.	1 00
Granite Shoe store,	.	.	.	.	.	4 00
J. F. Kemp,	.	.	.	.	.	4 24
Cavanagh Bros.,	.	.	.	.	.	200 00
						----- \$8,896 60
Balance,	.	.	.	.	.	\$103 40

Water Supply—Extensions.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$30,00000
Receipts,	5,894 54
						----- \$35,894 54

EXPENDED.

Pay roll,	\$11,735 37
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N. Y. & B. Despatch Express,	\$11 25
Sumner & Goodwin,	242 12
Streets,	20 15
J. F. Sheppard & Son,	8 00
Lead Lined Iron Pipe Co.,	5,659 71
Boston Lead Manufacturing Co.,	573 65
Thomas Hoey,	91 41
A. C. Harvey Co.,	153 55
B. Johnson,	70 98
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.	401 09
A. B. Packard	174 54
M. F. Brennan,	193 61
Harrington, King & Co.,	34 86
Wollaston Foundry Co.,	75 40
Callahan Supply Co.,	2,373 02
Boston Bank Note Co.,	35 00
Peter Haverly,	15 00
David Roach,	15 00
Coffin Valve Co.,	2,899 00
J. F. Kemp,	3 60
Harrington Valve Manufacturing Co.,	53 00
Charles Miller,	13 35
Cornell and Underhill,	10,253 37
Star Pipe Janster Co.,	40 00
E. J. Sandberg,	3 00
R. J. Teasdale,	35 06
W. H. Sampson, Jr.,	33 75
Chapman Valve Co. . . .	12 92
Builders Iron Foundry,	93 60
Granite Shoe store,	24 00
C. M. Jenness,	5 58
Thomas Cotton,	10 50
Mike Crowley,	82 78
John Funningham,	1 36
George Rodman,	4 86
J. T. Havahan,	159 00
	<hr/> \$35,612 44
Balance,	<hr/> \$282 10

Interest—City Debt.

Appropriation,	\$10,231 20
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EXPENDED.

Liberty, Penn and Quincy streets,	\$150 00
School house lot, Norfolk Downs,	144 00
School house lot, West Quincy,	.	.	.	.	120 00
School house loan,	.	.	.	.	2,400 00
Neponset bridge,	.	.	.	.	80 00
Copeland street,	.	.	.	.	640 00
Wollaston school house,	.	.	.	.	40 00
Hancock street,	.	.	.	.	375 00
City stable,	.	.	.	.	175 00
East Elm avenue,	.	.	.	.	267 75
Walker street,	.	.	.	.	78 22
New engine house,	.	.	.	.	280 00
Hancock and Granite streets,	.	.	.	.	181 44
Permanent sidewalks,	.	.	.	.	610 00
Harris claim,	.	.	.	.	116 76
Miller Stile road,	.	.	.	.	76 00
Squantum street,	.	.	.	.	10 00
Sea street,	.	.	.	.	20 00
Quincy and Adams school houses,	.	.	.	.	280 00
Pleasant and School streets,	.	.	.	.	36 00
Lincoln avenue drain,	.	.	.	.	36 00
Billings road and West Elm avenue,	.	.	.	.	90 00
Willard school land,	.	.	.	.	63 20
Water street,	.	.	.	.	433 33
Brooks and bridges,	.	.	.	.	17 50
Sewers,—House connections,	.	.	.	.	17 50
Faxon road,	.	.	.	.	20 00
Adams street,	.	.	.	.	240 00
Washington street culvert,	.	.	.	.	35 00
Washington street drain,	.	.	.	.	52 50
Willard school house,	.	.	.	.	308 00
Chemical hook and ladder,	.	.	.	.	72 00
Common street,	.	.	.	.	72 00
Squantum causeway	.	.	.	.	100 00
Hose house, Wards 2 and 4,	.	.	.	.	230 00

High school house,	\$1,080 00	
Steam fire whistle,	14 00	
Water supply—maintenance,	35 00	
Removal of snow,	105 00	
High school land,	675 00	
Hancock street paving,	385 00	
	<u> </u>	\$10,161 20
Balance,		<u>\$70 00</u>

Interest—Park Debt.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$1,800 00
Expended,	\$1,760 00
	<u>\$ 0 40</u>

Interest—Anticipation Taxes.

Appropriation, 1899,	\$6,500 00
EXPENDED.	
F. S. Moseley & Co.,	\$439 59
State of Massachusetts,	2,687 50
George Mixter,	421 45
Rogers, Newman & Tolman,	2,507 50
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	\$6,056 04
	<u>\$443 96</u>

Interest—Sewer Debt.

Appropriation,	\$12,176 25
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Interest—Water Debt.

Appropriation,	\$28,707 50
Expended,	\$28,735 00

Statement of Appropriations, Expenditures and Balances for 1899.

	1898.		1899.	
	Bal. Jan 1, 1899.	Expended.	Appropri- ation.	Expended. Balance.
Almshouse,	\$421 05	\$11,000 00	{ \$2,161 58 } { 8,837 95 } \$ 47
Poor out of Almshouse,	2,013 68		
Advertising, Printing, and Stationery,	158 57	3,500 00	3,359 05 140 95
Assessors,	1 300 00	..... 2 16
Transfers,	165 00
Books, Binding, Postage,	157 75
Miscellaneous,	6 44	.....	155 09
Clerk,	820 00
Alterations in Engine and Hose Houses,	56 36	.....	.....
Arthur Street,	1,125 00	998 60 126 40
Abolishing Grade Crossings,	500 00	75 00 425 00
Beale Street,	1,500 00	1,499 92 08
Footway Beale Street Bridge,	275 00	8 00 267 00
Bridges,	19 28	2,500 00	2,433 28 66 72
Burial Places,	16 60	5,064 62	4,980 89 83 73
Billings Road and West Elm Ave.,	260 70	.....	.....
Billings Road	3,000 00	2,990 02 9 98
Pay of City Officers,	543 45	15,800 00	15,166 70 633 30
Clerk—Executive Department,	625 00	625 00
Clerk—Treasurer	520 00	520 00
Clerk—City Clerk,	420 00	420 00
Clerk—Collector,	400 00	400 00
Contingent Fund,	75 00	66 75 8 25

1898.

1899.

	Bal. Jan 1, 1899.	Expended.	Balance.	Appropri- ation.	Expended.	Balance.
City Debt,	81,950 25	81,950 25	.....
Coddington Street Widening,	30,700 00	15,937 57	14,762 43
Coddington and Wollaston			
School Plumbing,	2,500 00	60 38	2,439 62
Cranch Hill Schoolhouse			
Land,	5,000 00	.....	5,000 00
Sewer Debt,	8,000 00	8,000 00	.....
Park Debt,	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Decoration Day,	350 00	350 00	.....
City Hospital,	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....
Engineering,	300 00	296 06	3 94
Edgestones and Sidewalks,	2,000 00	1,913 78	86 22
Goddard Ave. and Federal St.,	200 00	199 94	06
Laying out East Elm Avenue,	496 18	496 18	.....	.....	.....	.....
Faxon Road,	450 00	450 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fire Department:
Repairs, Fixtures,	378 92	.....	850 00	632 15	217 85
Pay of Men,	14,407 00	13,831 36	575 64
Horse Shoeing, Keeping,	157 07	.....	2,079 36	1,920 17	159 19
Keeping Chief's Horse,	200 00	200 00	.....
Fire Alarm Telegraph,	575 58	.....	1,400 00	916 94	483 06
Coal and Fuel,	218 81	.....	350 00	250 37	99 63
Lighting Engine Houses,	37 00	.....	450 00	327 37	122 63
Firemen's Clothing,	200 00	47 00	153 00
Miscellaneous,	322 84	.....	2,850 00	2,635 51	214 49
Horses, Harnesses and Hose,	250 00	.....	1,000 00	935 00	65 00
Fire Alarm Whistle,			
Wollaston,	400 00	400 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Howard Street Widening,	1,400 00	584 98	815 02

Health,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Adv'g, Postage, Sundries,	.....	76 25	.....	.....	3,676 26	..... 548 91
Abating Nuisances and	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Contagious Diseases,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Garbage,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... 24 90
Inspection,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... 2,502 44
Hancock Street Paving	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... 600 01
Hook and Ladder Truck,	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 000 00	..... 11,000 00
Inspection of Plumbing,	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,200 00	..... 2,200 00
Interest,	.....	13 50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Interest—Water,	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,531 20	..... 17,977 24
Interest—Sewer,	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,707 50	..... 28,735 00
John Hancock Tablet,	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,176 25	..... 13,371 25
Library,	200 00	178 25	21 75	.....	.....	.....
Books,	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,095 57	..... 155 89
Catalogue Fund,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... 912 81
Periodicals, Binding and	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... 576 16
Printing,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Salaries and Assistants,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... 735 90
Fuel and Lighting,	.....	11 21	.....	.....	.....	..... 2,620 41
Miscellaneous,	.....	8 00	.....	.....	.....	..... 313 06
Law Department,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... 781 34
Madison Street,	.....	.....	.....	.....	75 00	..... 15 25
Miscellaneous City Expenses,	.....	.....	.....	.....	600 00	..... 101 32
Nightingale Avenue,	.....	189 28	.....	.....	6 000 00	..... 19 75
Police—Permanent Men,	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00	.....
Chief's Salary,	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,488 00	.....
Police Station,	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000 00	.....
Special Police and Miscel-	.....	20 30	.....	.....	363 19	..... 86 81
laneous,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Enforcement of Liquor Law,	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,500 00	..... 26 99
Parks,	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 20000	..... 89 33
Quarry Street Paving,	.....	4 28	.....	.....	300 00	..... 4 52
Repairs of Public Buildings and	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,500 00	..... 29 54
care of City Hall,	.....	429 61	.....	.....	4,500 00	..... 10 04

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS, EXPENDITURES AND BALANCES—(Continued).

	1898.			1899.		
	Bal. Jan 1, 1899.	Expended.	Balance.	Appropri- ation.	Expended.	Balance.
Repair of Schoolhouses, Streets,	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,747 19	.....
Street Crossings,	.....	607 88	.....	27,233 00	27,000 75	232 25
Widening Hancock Street from School Street to Music Hall,	.....	.....	.....	1,000 00	997 23	2 77
Draining Old Colony Street, Ward 6,	1,434 00	706 20	727 80	.....	.....	.....
Widening Hancock and Granite Streets,	187 10	.....	187 10	.....	.....	.....
Payne Street,	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Drain and Catch Basin, Washing- ton Street,	243 79	243 79	.....	300 00	300 00	.....
Culvert, Washington and Canal Streets,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sewer Maintenance.	.....	347 52	.....	200 00	193 75	6 25
Sewer Expenses of Assessment	.....	.....	.....	6,000 00	3,152 09	1,103 84
Sewer Construction,	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,744 07	.....
Sewer, House Connections,	30,108 84	30,108 84	.....	73,000 00	60,973 98	12,026 02
Sewer, House Connections,	.....	.....	.....	3,356 40	3,356 40	.....
Sewer Commissioners,	.....	.....	.....	6,000 00	5,300 26	699 74
Playgrounds,	2,722 46	.....	2,722 46	.....	.....	.....
Amount received from sale of Playground in Ward 5,	4,000 00	.....	4,000 00	.....	.....	.....
Permanent Sidewalks,	103 16	103 16	.....	8,000 00	8,000 00	.....
School Street Widening,	.....	.....	.....	2,500 00	2,153 08	346 92
Extension of Newcomb Street,	110 25	108 75	1 50	.....	.....	.....

Street Lighting,	.....	69 69	.....	17,600 00	17,461 17	138 83
Street Watering,	.....	.....	.....	4,800.00	4,768 12	31 88
Removal of Snow,	.....	132 20	.....	9 700 00	9,629 78	70 22
State and Military Aid,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chapter 301,	.....	10 00	.....	6,732 00	4,203 00	.....
Chapter 279,	.....	.....	.....	.....	570 00	.....
Chapter 298 and 447,	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,753 00	.....
Chapter 561,	.....	.....	.....	.....	206 00	.....
Schools,	.....	.....	.....	97,000 00	.....	.....
Evening,	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,289 84	.....
Janitors,	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,234 00	.....
Salaries,	.....	.....	.....	.....	76,048 61	.....
Books, Supplies and Sundries,	.....	38 20	.....	.....	7,519 93	.....
Transportation,	.....	.....	.....	.....	879 30	.....
Fuel,	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,028 32	.....
Trafford Street,	.....	.....	.....	500 00	499 30	70
Willard Street	.....	.....	.....	1,500 00	1,497 02	2 98
Water Supply—Maintenance, 1898,	.....	114 96	.....	.....	.....	.....
Water Supply—Maintenance, 1899,	.....	.....	.....	9,000 00	8,896 60	103 40
Water Supply—Construction, 1899,	.....	.....	.....	35,894 54	35,612 44	282 10
Water Debt,	.....	.....	.....	29,500 00	29,500 00	.....
Anticipation of Taxes,	.....	147,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
	<u>\$41,545 78</u>	<u>\$188,304 40</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>\$662,581 25</u>	<u>\$618,026 33</u>	<u>\$44,554 92</u>

Debt Statement of Quincy, December 31, 1899.

Year.	Municipal.	Playgrounds.	Water.	Sewer.	Grand Totals.
1900,	. . . \$79,950 98	. . . \$1,000 .	. . . \$30,500 .	. . . \$10,300 .	. . . \$112,750 98
1901,	. . . 46,305 61	. . . 1,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 11,300 .	. . . 89,105 61
1902,	. . . 29,450 00	. . . 1,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 11,300 .	. . . 72,250 00
1903,	. . . 27,550 00	. . . 1,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 11,300 .	. . . 70,350 00
1904,	. . . 27,150 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 11,300 .	. . . 70,950 00
1905,	. . . 26,650 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 11,300 .	. . . 70,450 00
1906,	. . . 24,650 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,300 .	. . . 67,450 00
1907,	. . . 16,150 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,300 .	. . . 58,950 00
1908,	. . . 15,150 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,300 .	. . . 57,950 00
1909,	. . . 11,450 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,300 .	. . . 54,250 00
1910,	. . . 6,750 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 49,250 00
1911,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 44,000 00
1912,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 44,000 00
1913,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 44,000 00
1914,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 30,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 44,000 00
1915,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 29,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 43,000 00
1916,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 28,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 42,000 00
1917,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 27,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 41,000 00
1918,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 26,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 40,000 00
1919,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 26,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 40,000 00
1920,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 26,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 40,000 00
1921,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 26,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 40,000 00
1922,	. . . 1,500 00	. . . 2,000 .	. . . 26,500 .	. . . 10,000 .	. . . 40,000 00

1923,	.	.	1,500 00	.	.	2,000	.	.	26,500	.	.	10,000	.	.	40,000 00
1924,	.	.	1,500 00	.	.	.	.	.	5,500	.	.	10,000	.	.	17,000 00
1925,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4,500	.	.	10,000	.	.	14,500 00
1926,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3,000	.	.	10,000	.	.	13,000 00
1927,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3,000	.	.	10,000	.	.	13,000 00
1928,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000	.	.	10,000	.	.	12,000 00
1929,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000	.	.	10,000	.	.	11,000 00
1930,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9,000	.	.	9,000 00
1931,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9,000	.	.	9,000 00
1932,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9,000	.	.	9,000 00
1933,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9,000	.	.	9,000 00
1934,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9,000	.	.	9,000 00
1935,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9,000	.	.	9,000 00
1936,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9,000	.	.	9,000 00
1937,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9,000	.	.	9,000 00
1938,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3,500	.	.	3,500 00
1939,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000	.	.	1,000 00

	<u>\$323,206 59</u>	<u>\$44,000</u>	<u>\$721,000</u>	<u>\$384,500</u>	<u>\$1,472,706 59</u>
Water Loan falls due:	April, \$1,000; May, \$3,500; June, \$1,000; August, \$20,000; September, \$2,000; December, \$3,000.				
Sewer Loan falls due:	April, \$4,500; May, \$3,000; October, \$2,500; December, \$300;				
Playground Loan falls due	October 1.				

Itemized Schedule of Municipal Debt.

TITLE.	DUE. RATE.	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	TOTALS.
Plumbing Wollaston and Codding-ton Schoolhouses,	Jan. 1, 3 1-2		\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$2,500 00
Land, Wollaston En-gine House,	Jan. 1, 3 1-2	.	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	1000	5,500 00
Purchase of Hose,	Jan. 1, 3 1-2	.	500	500	500	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Poor Department,	Jan. 1, 3 1-2	.	1500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,500 00
Schoolhouse, Whitwell street,	Mar. 1, 3 1-2	.	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	40,000 00
Drain, Lincoln and Willard avenues,	Mar. 1, 4	200	200	200	200	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	800 00
Pleasant and School streets,	Mar. 1, 4	200	200	200	200	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	800 00
Billings road and West Elm avenue,	Mar. 1, 4	500	500	500	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Permanent sidewalks,	Mar. 1, 4	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	.	.	.	.	.	6,000 00
Hancock street,	May 1, 4	4000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4,000 00
Beale street,	May 15, 4	.	2000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Common street,	June 1, 4	1200	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,200 00
Hancock street,	June 1, 4 1-2	2000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Hose house, Ward Two,	June 1, 4	1000	1000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Paving Copeland street,	July 1, 4	1000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	.	.	.	15,000 00
City stable,	July 1, 3 1-2	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	.	.	4,500 00
Schoolhouses, Wards Four and Five,	July 1, 4	7500	7500	7500	7500	7500	7500	7500	.	.	.	.	52,500 00

ITEMIZED SCHEDULE OF MUNICIPAL DEBT—(Continued).

TITLE. §	DUE. RATE.	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	TOTALS.
Permanent sidewalks, Hancock and Granite Sts. widening, Old Colony St. drain, Widening Han- cock and School Sts., Finishing room in John Han- cock school- house, Additional for City stable,	Aug. 1, 3 1-2	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	.	.	\$9,000 00
	Aug. 1, 3 1-2	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	.	.	4,500 00
	Aug. 15, 3 1-2	300	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	300 00
Hook and ladder truck,	Aug. 15, 3 1-2	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	400	.	2,200 00
House connections,	Aug. 15, 3 1-2	2000	2000	2000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6,000 00
Heating Adams and Quincy schools	Sept. 1, 4	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	.	.	.	.	.	6,000 00
Rebuilding Adams St.,	Sept. 1, 4	500	500	500	500	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,500 00
Miscellaneous fire,	Sept. 1, 3 1-2	850	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	850 00
Rebuilding Adams St.,	Oct. 1, 4	1000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000 00
Culvert at Washington and Canal streets,	Oct. 1, 3 1-2	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	00
Drains and catch basins, Washington St., W'd 2,	Oct. 15, 3 1-2	500	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000 00
Fire Dept. bills, 1898,	Oct. 15, 3 1-2	1475.98	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,475 98
Liberty street,	Nov. 1, 4	3500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3,500 00
Schoolhouse land, Whitwell street,	Nov. 1, 3 1-2	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	.	5,000 00

Report of Assessors.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

The Board of Assessors herewith submit their annual report. We have assessed upon the polls and estates of the City of Quincy for the year 1899 the following sums :

State tax, including Metropolitan water	
tax,	\$14,482 50
County tax,	15,580 95
City appropriations for current expenses, .	257,434 93
Debts and interest,	143,157 70
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	\$430,656 08
Deduct estimated receipts,	46,270 00
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	\$384,386 08
Deduct polls, 6,502 at \$2.00,	13,004 00
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	\$371,382 08
Add overlayings,	6,556 84+
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Total to be raised on personal and real	
estate,	\$377,938 92+
Total to be raised on polls,	13,004 00
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Total tax to be raised,	\$390,842 92+

Table of Aggregates.

Value of assessed personal estate, exclud-	
ing resident bank stock,	\$2,316,025 00
Resident bank stock,	166 044 00
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Total value of personal estate, .	\$2,482,069 00
Value of assessed real estate :	
Buildings,	\$8,621,100 00
Land,	8,581,150 00
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Total value of real estate,	\$17,202,250 00
Total value real and personal estate May	
1, 1899,	\$19,684,319 00
Gain,	\$447,487 00

Ward Valuation.

	PERSONAL ESTATE.	REAL ESTATE.	TOTAL
Ward 1,	\$1,096,375 00	\$5,307,650 00	\$6,404,025 00
Ward 2,	347,500 00	1,670,800 00	2,018,300 00
Ward 3,	339,225 00	2,109,950 00	2,449,175 00
Ward 4,	263,775 00	2,133,725 00	2,397,500 00
Ward 5,	212,275 00	3,522,575 00	3,734,850 00
Ward 6,	56,875 00	2,457,550 00	2,514,425 00
Resident bank			
stock,	166,044 00		166,044 00
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	\$2,482,069 00	\$17,202,250 00	\$19,684,319 00

Tax raised on personal estate, excluding	
resident bank stock,	\$44,467 68
Tax raised on resident bank stock, . .	3,188 04+
Tax raised on real estate,	330,283 20
Tax raised on polls,	13,004 00
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Total to be raised,	\$390,942 92+

Number of houses assessed,	4,277½
Number of horses assessed,	1,396
Number of cows assessed,	672

Omitted and reassessed taxes as follows :

On property, real and personal,	\$658 08
Polls added for state election, 67,	134 00
Polls added for city election, 60,	120 00
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Total,	\$912 08

Literary and benevolent institutions and houses of religious worship in Quincy are for real estate and personal property valued at \$1,056,327.00, but are exempt from taxation. Real estate, fire apparatus owned by the city, including schoolhouses, parks, public buildings, water works, playgrounds, etc., amount to \$853,388, and are exempt from taxation. There is also \$77,900, as valued by the Assessors, in real estate belonging to veterans, widows, minors and unmarried females, which, by law, is exempt from taxation.

Respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM A. HODGES,
JAMES A. WHITE,
JOHN FEDERHEN, 3d,
THOMAS F. DRAKE,
HENRY G. FAY,
JOHN CURTIS,
ELIJAH G. HALL,

Assessors of Quincy.

Report of Tax Collector.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

I have the honor to submit the following report for the year ending December 30, 1899.

The amount of cash collected on the tax for the various years is as follows :

Tax of 1894.

Amount collected,	\$47 33	
Interest on above,	4 80	
Total,	—————	\$52 13

Tax of 1895.

Amount collected,	\$439 29	
Interest on above,	83 78	
Total,	—————	\$523 07

Tax of 1896.

Amount collected,	\$1,069 16	
Interest on above,	87 31	
Street Sprinkling,	1 71	
Total,	—————	\$1,158 18

Tax of 1897.

Amount collected,	\$38,376 80	
Interest on above,	3,789 86	
Street Sprinkling,	269 62	
Total,	—————	\$42,436 28

Tax of 1898.

Amount collected,	\$81,111 16
Interest on above,	2,353 49
Street Sprinkling,	557 55
Total,	————— \$84,022 20

Tax of 1899.

Amount collected,	\$238,053 12
Interest on above,	242 35
Street Sprinkling,	1,702 09
Total,	————— \$239,997 56

Sewers.

Amount collected for sewer construction,	\$4,521 27
Amount collected for house connections,	1,878 66
Interest on above,	08
Total,	————— \$6,400 01
Total cash receipts,	————— \$374,589 43

The foregoing figures will show that the total collections for the year ending December 30th, 1899, were ;

Paid to City Treasurer by A. Lincoln Baker, Collector, from January 1, 1899, to March 6, 1899,	\$42,693 10
Paid to City Treasurer by Albion I. Dixon, Collector, from March 6, 1899, to January 1st, 1900,	331,896 33
Total,	————— \$374,589 43

Abatements.

The abatements made during the year on the levy of the respective years are as follows:

Amount abated on tax of 1892,	\$237 20
Amount abated on tax of 1893,	634 97
Amount abated on tax of 1894,	13 04
Amount abated on tax of 1895,	70 24

Amount abated on tax of 1896,	.	.	\$249 92	
Amount abated on tax of 1897,	.	.	359 95	
Amount abated on tax of 1898,	.	.	1,203 00	
Amount abated on tax of 1899,	.	.	2,171 44	
			<hr/>	\$4,939 76
Amount abated on Street Sprinkling,	.			5 44
Total,	.	.	.	<hr/>
				\$4,945 20

During the past year, 27 estates have been sold to the City of Quincy for the unpaid taxes of the following years :

Tax of 1895,	.	.	.	.	.	\$9 66	
Tax of 1896,	.	.	.	.	.	31 77	
Tax of 1897,	.	.	.	.	.	315 37	
Tax of 1898,	.	.	.	.	.	278 01	
						<hr/>	\$634 81

Statement of Levy of 1899.

Total amount committed for collection, including Street Sprinkling,		\$397,843 58
Amount collected,	\$239,755 21	
Abated on tax levy,	2,171 44	
Abated on Street Sprinkling,	5 44	
Balance uncollected January 1, 1900,	155,911 49	
	<hr/>	\$397,843 58

In making this, my report of the year's work of the collecting department of the City of Quincy, I desire to call attention to the fact that I did not assume the office of Collector until March 6th, 1899, therefore my collections only cover a period of less than ten months and for that reason do not perhaps make as favorable a showing as they otherwise would had I taken charge in February. It is pleasing to note however that the total collections, not including sewer collections, exceed those of any previous year by \$23,317.54 for the corresponding time, viz.:—March 6th to January 1st. Your attention is also called to the fact that owing to the plan adopted this year regarding single poll taxes, I am able to report the collection of 3,859 single polls as compared with 3,690 for the preceding year,

which goes to show that the methods used were effective as well as satisfactory to the poll tax payers.

The need of an address file whereby the addresses of non-resident tax payers could be kept on record seemed apparent from the fact that many non-residents never received their bills, this mainly because no system of recording their addresses had ever been adopted. Such a system has now been adopted and contains the addresses of almost seven hundred non-resident tax payers. The result has been that this past year less than two hundred tax bills have been returned to this office as "unclaimed" while in 1898 over four hundred failed to reach their destination. Your collector attributes in a great measure the large payment on the 1899 tax to the fact that this past year the tax bills were delivered to the parties to whom sent instead of being returned to this office.

Owing to the fact that the collections for sewer construction and connections are to be made by this office it seems necessary to increase the clerical force and I therefore recommend that at least \$800.00 be allowed for clerk hire.

I would also recommend that in future all tax bills for real estate and personal property be itemized so that tax payers may know what valuation as well as what properties they are paying taxes on.

In conclusion I desire to express my appreciation to His Honor the Mayor, to the different heads of departments, and especially to my clerk, for valuable assistance rendered, thereby making my term as collector, a successful one.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBION I. DIXON,

Collector of Taxes.

Report of the Commissioner of Public Works.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

SIR:—I herewith respectfully submit to you the eleventh annual report of the Department of Public Works for the year ending December 31, 1899.

In laying down the never-ending cares of the office of Commissioner of Public Works, I desire to extend to you and to each and every member of the City Council, and to the officials of the City who have served during my term of office, my grateful thanks for the courtesies, kindness and consideration shown me. Also, in a general review of the department work, I must express my thanks and gratitude to my assistants who so heartily co-operated with me in the discharge of my duties.

In the administration of an office such as I now relinquish, one comes perforce to love and cherish the loyalty and truthfulness of those whom neither malice, misrepresentation nor intrigue can swerve from duty and fidelity. They are like unto a refined metal whose sterling worth must contrast with the scum and dross of its own species, to be valued and retained.

Such friends and co-workers shall be held in the sacred bonds of longest memory for their noble manhood, loyalty and truth, by contrast with that faithlessness and treachery sometimes developed by ambitious adventurers.

Despite unfair criticism, which is the misfortune of public life, I claim, without fear of contradiction, that the affairs and records of this department will show an honest effort to efficiently and economically carry out the business of this depart-

ment and the accomplishment of many long-desired, much-needed and beneficial improvements.

I do not hesitate to say that the streets of the city are in better condition at the present time than ever before. This I think is very creditable, when we take into consideration the poor condition of the streets at the beginning of the year, principally on account of the many excavations for sewers, water works and underground wires.

As the department equipment had been allowed to run down, it was necessary to expend quite a sum for the purchase of horses, wagons, tools, etc., to put the department in proper condition.

A considerable amount of permanent work has, however, been accomplished during the past year. It has been my policy, and it should be the policy of the Commissioner in the future, to do a certain amount of permanent work upon our streets each year, and to carry forward such construction in a systematic manner. This work should be begun upon the streets that are in most constant use, and which are in immediate need of some repairs.

In the line of paved streets, our city is not so progressive as other municipalities of the same population. Few cities the size of Quincy have less miles of paved streets. It is my opinion that an appropriation should be made each year for this work, until our city compares favorably in the mileage of improved streets with other cities of the same size.

Among some of the permanent work accomplished this year was the paving of Hancock street, on the east side from City Square to Gilmore street, a distance of about 4000 feet, and the paving of Quarry street from Granite street to Kidder street, a distance of about 1000 feet; the widening of Hancock street between Music Hall building and School street; the rebuilding of Billings road; the widening and laying out of Coddington and Sea streets; the widening of School, Willard and Howard streets, and many other smaller improvements.

As the appropriations were not passed by the City Council until the latter part of June and as all this work was completed or suspended about December first, you can readily see that with the ordinary duties of Commissioner of Public Works, combined

with the duties of Superintendent of Water Works, I had more than a little to attend to.

The paving of Hancock street was commenced about July first and completed in about six weeks. The work was done by day labor and by citizens of Quincy, excepting the laying of the paving stones, which was done by H. Gore & Co. of Boston. The manner of paving this street is most approved and up-to-date and the first time that it has been tried in this city. I certainly recommend that whatever paving is done in the city hereafter be done by this same process. The earth was excavated to a depth of sixteen inches and then rolled thoroughly with a twenty ton steam roller. Upon this subgrade was placed a layer of American Cement concrete 6 inches deep, composed of one part cement, two parts sand and five parts stone, thoroughly mixed and rammed. A layer of two inches of sand was spread over this surface upon which was laid the granite paving blocks, none but first class city stones being used. Cross-walks were laid at all the street corners making the job complete.

The same process was used in paving Quarry street, after the hill known as McDonnell's Hill was cut down some three feet in order to give an easy grade. The result has proven most satisfactory. In both of these jobs we have far the best work in this line ever accomplished in the city.

Hancock street was widened between the Music Hall building and School street, an average width of about three feet, making a very decided improvement. The moving back of the stone-walls, fences, posts, etc., was very neatly done, especially the stone-wall, with iron fence attached, in front of the Plumer estate, which was successfully moved in one piece. A granite curbing and brick sidewalk was laid the entire length, the driveways being paved with granite blocks in the most approved manner.

School street was widened opposite the St. John's hall. The old Lawton house was torn down and a retaining wall built, leaving the street a uniform width of forty feet. This was a much-needed improvement, as the street was very narrow at this point.

Three thousand dollars were appropriated to rebuild and regrade Billings road in Ward Six. The length of the street is

about 3,000 feet, and the width is 66 feet. In order to build this street to the required grade, it was necessary to make a fill of six feet in one portion and a cut of three feet in another portion. This is a very creditable showing, considering the work accomplished with such a small amount of money. To complete the job it will be necessary to surface the street, and we will then have a regular boulevard.

Madison street was widened five feet on the south side and the grade raised considerably, but as only \$500 was appropriated for this work, it is not to be expected that a first-class job could be done.

Fifteen hundred dollars were appropriated to define the lines of Willard street. This necessitated moving back walls and fences, cutting down trees and blasting considerable ledge on the westerly side of the street between Furnace avenue and Doble street.

Nightingale avenue, Trafford street, Federal avenue and Arthur streets were built to grade, as laid out on plan, filed in the City Hall.

The largest job ever attempted in the line of street improvement in this city, was the widening and relocating Coddington and Sea streets, for which the sum of \$30,700.00 was passed by the City Council, \$18,670.00 of which was for land damages and \$12,030.00 for constructing the street. Coddington street is laid out 60 feet wide, while Sea street is laid out 75 feet. Considerable very heavy cutting and filling was done to bring these streets to grade.

On Coddington street it was necessary to move back three buildings owned by Mr. Henry H. Faxon and to tear down the building on the corner of Washington street, known as the grain store.

The buildings owned by the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company and the Quincy City Hospital, have not yet been moved as the awards in those two instances have not been mutually agreed upon.

A comparatively small amount of curbing has been laid in the various sections of the city, on account of the limited appropriation during the year. I would recommend that some action be taken so that more curbing will be put in, as it is a matter of

considerable saving to the Street department to have the streets curbed and also adds greatly to the appearance of our city.

A number of granite street crossings were laid throughout the city during the year. They are of a much better quality than any put in heretofore and are greatly appreciated by the public. I would suggest that those put in in the future be of a like construction.

In my opinion more attention should be paid to the construction of sidewalks on the much travelled streets in the centre of the city and I would recommend that an adequate appropriation be made for this purpose.

This department has charge of all surface water drains and must face a serious problem in the near future. A large number of these drains now have their outlets upon private property whose owners may at any time close them without notice. In a number of instances, objections have already been made by such owners.

There seems but one thing to be done ; the city should lay out and build as rapidly as possible a system of drains. Some of the old drains may be utilized, when they connect with natural water courses, but where pipe has been used, in most cases the disregard for the preservation of line and grade without means of access for cleaning, render them almost useless as parts of a system, such as a city needs.

The present location of our crusher is such as to add greatly to the cost of macadamizing streets in Wards Four, Five and Six, on account of the increased cost of carting. In fact very little stone is used in Wards Four and Five and none at all in Ward Six.

The stone itself is of a very inferior quality, being but little better than granite.

I would, therefore, suggest that the crusher plant be relocated in some convenient place near the railroad track, and where stone suitable for road-building could be obtained ; thus deliveries to all parts of the city could be made by railroad, and thereby save to the city the extra cost of teaming.

Particular attention was given to cleaning the streets this year. Early in the spring gangs of men were put to work in different sections cleaning the streets thoroughly, paying particu-

lar attention to gutters, and shaping the street in such a manner as to allow for surface drainage. The waste barrels were placed on the streets by the department, and have been of considerable assistance in keeping the streets clean. Push-carts were introduced this year for the first time. I am of the opinion that this method of cleaning streets of rubbish and refuse matter is an excellent one, and was greatly appreciated by the public.

I also introduced this year the regular sweeping of the street-crossings in the most frequented parts of the city.

The following is the list of the streets accepted during the year 1899, making the total number of miles of accepted streets about 73.

	Length in feet.	Width in feet.
Madison st., Ward 6, Hancock st. to Newbury ave.,	1008	35
Avon way, Ward 1, Whalley road to Dixwell ave.,	460	40
Arthur st., Ward 4, Garfield st. to Buckley st.,	1043	40
Glover ave., Ward 6, Hancock st. to Birch st.,	700	42
Whitney rd., Ward 1, Hancock st. to Woodward ave.,	695	40
Deldorf st., Ward 1, Whitwell st. to Scotch Pond pl.,	645	40
Cranch st., Ward 1, Deldorf st. to Whitwell st.,	1538	40
Nelson st., Ward 4, Arthur st to Carlmark st.,	475	33
Webster st., Ward 6, from Squantum st.,	750	40
Federal ave. and Goddard st., Ward 3, Presidents ave. to Independence ave.,	1006	40
Total number of feet,	8320	

At the present time the city is lighted by 100 arc lights, 378 incandescent lights, 76 oil lamps and 67 gas lamps, at an annual expense of \$17,750. As there is a constant growing demand for new lights throughout the city, it is apparent that in the course of a few years the expense of street lighting will be very great. Figuring on the basis of the past ten years, the cost of street lighting in 1909 will be in the neighborhood of \$27,000.

I believe that it would be cheaper and better for the city to own and control its own lighting system. I would be pleased to see steps taken in that direction.

A new departure was made this year in the manner of street watering. The system of the American Car Sprinkler Co. of Worcester, Mass., was used and found to be satisfactory.

Every day of the first week of my term of office I had a snow storm to contend with, until, at the beginning of the second week, we had the largest snow storm ever recorded in this part of the country. The streets were impassable to all kinds of travel. It was necessary to employ 1,700 men to shovel snow from the sidewalks and roadways, and in many cases to cart away the snow entirely. Considering the great amount of snow, and the large drifts, the streets were blocked for a very short space of time.

At the beginning of the year a bill was introduced in the Legislature to abolish the Board of Water Commissioners and place the department under the control of the Commissioner of Public Works. This order was passed in the first part of April whereupon the management of the Department was turned over to me.

On January first the city began to use water from the Metropolitan System. The water has given general satisfaction throughout the city, and if it had not been for this source of supply it is safe to say we would have been short of water on account of the great lack of rain-fall this season.

For a short time the pumping station was kept open with the pumps in running order, so that in case of accident the city would not be without water.

During the year 3.73 miles of pipe were laid, 30 hydrants added, 68 gates set and 411 new surface connections made. This is the largest number of services ever put in in a single year.

The total length of street mains is 80.24. The total number of services to date is 3,889, quite an increase over 1,456, which was the number of connections in June, 1892, when the city took the plant.

The total number of hydrants to date is 496. This, with an ample supply of water, backed by an average pressure of 80 pounds per square inch, gives us excellent fire protection, far better than nine-tenths of the cities of the size of Quincy in the United States.

The gross receipts for the year are \$59,953.68.

During the year the principal work has been laying the 16-inch main on Beale street, Ward Five, the 8-inch pipe on Linden street, 6-inch pipe on Brackett, Field, Garfield, Howard, Reardon

and Trafford streets, Quarry-street extension, Wendall road, Lincoln avenue and many other minor extensions.

A man was sent to the reservoir very frequently during the year to report the height of water in the basin, and the general condition of the property.

The pumping station was kept in good repair, and the tenement was rented to responsible parties.

The hydrants were all painted and kept in thorough repair.

For detailed statement of accounts see Auditor's report.

I subjoin the following tables, record of miles of pipe, the number of hydrants, gates, etc., all of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN T. CAVANAGH,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Location of Hydrants Set in 1899.

- One on Barry street, 435 feet north of Reardon street.
- One on Beale street, corner Highland avenue.
- One on Beale street, corner Central avenue.
- One on Beale street, corner Everett street.
- One on Beale street, corner Norfolk street.
- One on Beale street, corner of Pine street.
- One on Brackett street, opposite Field street.
- One on Brackett street, near gas house.
- One on Canal street, corner Field street.
- One on Field street, opposite Brackett's wharf.
- One on Field street, 400 feet east of Canal street.
- One on Field street, 800 feet east of Canal street.
- One on Garfield street, corner Quarry street.
- One on Hancock street, opposite Canal street.
- One on Hancock street, corner School street.
- One on Hancock street, corner Carruth street.
- One on Hancock street, 500 feet north of Carruth street.
- One on Howard street, corner Quincy avenue.
- One on Howard street, 400 feet north of Quincy avenue.
- One on Lincoln avenue, corner Grand View avenue.
- One on Linden street, corner Hancock street.
- One on Linden street, corner Berlin street.
- One on Quarry street, opposite Side street.
- One on Quincy avenue, corner Water street.
- One on Safford street, corner of Wilson avenue.
- One on Safford street, 475 feet north of Wilson avenue.
- One on Side street, 669 feet south of Quarry street extension
- One on Upland road, 350 feet north of Saville street.
- One on Upland road, corner Dimmock street.
- One on Wendall road, 475 feet south of Quincy avenue.

TOTAL WATER PIPE LAID.

Length in feet and size of pipe laid to December 31, 1899.

WHEN LAID.	HYDRANTS.	GATES.	DIAMETER OF PIPE IN INCHES.										TOTAL.
			2	4	5	6	7	8	10	12	16	20	
Previous to													
June 1, 1892,	121	348	26,846	64,689.0	948	42,038.0	994	18,040.0	6,879	16,122.0	5,582.0	2,679	184,817
In 1892,	14	38		774.6		11,026.95		4,120.15			956.7		16,878.4
In 1893,	51	64	96	2,644.2		20,886.6		10,017.5		516.5	1,409.2		35,570
In 1894,	92	128		2,253.8		27,341.3		24,573.1		3,105.2	5,438.7		62,712.1
In 1895,	54	77	836	6,849.0		8,264.0		9,502.0	9,438	20.0			34,909
In 1896,	23	42	1,460	1,180.0		12,979.0		725.0					16,344
In 1897,	69	70	2,550	4,304.0		19,664.0		6,083.0	1,310				33,911
In 1898,	42	77	1,427	2,966.0		16,538.0		2,336.0	86		4,126.0		27,479
In 1899,	30	68	8,987	2,160.0		6,394.0		533.0	144		1,500.0		19,718
			42,202	87,820.6	948	165,131.85	994	75,929.75	17,857	19,763.7	19,012.6	2,679	432,338.5
*Taken up,			4,787	1,177		800		1,900					8,664
Total,	496	912	37,415	86,643.6	948	164,331.85	994	74,029.75	17,857	19,763.7	19,012.6	2,679	423,674.5

Total number of feet, 423,674.5. Total number of miles, 80.24.

*Taken up in 1893, 490 feet 2-inch pipe. In 1894, 1,686 feet 2-inch pipe. In 1897, 1,772 feet 2-inch pipe. In 1898, 839 feet 2-inch pipe. In 1898, 1,900 feet 8-inch pipe. In 1899, 800 feet 6-inch, 1,177 feet of 4-inch.

WATER GATES IN USE.

Number and Size of Gates in Use December 31st, 1899.

WHEN SET.	SIZE OF GATES IN INCHES.									TOTAL.
	2	4	6	7	8	10	12	16	20	
Previous to January 1, 1892,	93	128	64	1	30	5	17	6	4	348
In 1892,		3	27		7			1		38
In 1893,		2	37		13		1	1		64
In 1894,		17	81		33		4	3		128
In 1895,	4	25	24		15	7	2			77
In 1896,	6	5	26		5					42
In 1897,	1	13	56		6	1				77
In 1898,	4	12	44		8	3		6		77
In 1899,	3	8	46		4	2		5		68
Total,	111	213	405	1	121	18	24	22	4	919

WATER PIPE LAID IN 1899.

WARD.	STREET LOCATION.	GATES.	HYDRANTS.	LENGTH OF EACH SIZE OF PIPE.								
				2in.	4in.	6in.	8in.	10in.	12in.	16in.		
1	Adams shore from Albatross road,	1	1	850	455							1500
4	Barry from Reardon street,	17	5									
5	Beale from Highland avenue,											
5	Beale crosses Beale street,					295						
5	Beale crosses Beale street,						56					
3	Bennington from end of 6 inch pipe,			245								
1	Butler road from Hancock street,	1	2			850						
1	Brackett from Field street,	4										
1	Carlson from end of 6 inch pipe,	1		485								
5	Central avenue from end of 8 inch pipe,			362						72		
1	Curtis from end of 4 inch pipe,			200								
1	Faxon avenue from end of pipe,			255								
3	Federal avenue from Bennington street,			180								
1	Field from Canal street,		4			1678						
1	Field from Field street,			542								
3	Garfield from Granite street,	2	1			501						
4	Hall place from Crescent street,			190								
5	Highland avenue from Central avenue,			360								
5	Highland avenue from end of pipe,			120								
2	Howard from end of pipe,	2	2			720						
5	Lincoln avenue from Grand View avenue,	2	1			414						

5	Linden from Hancock street,	4	2	205				477		
6	Linden from Hancock street,			320						
1	Mears avenue from end of pipe,			178						
1	Merrymount road from end of pipe,	2		789						
6	Montclair from Sterling street,			170						
4	Nelson from end of pipe,				26					
1	Off Deldorf from Deldorf street,	1		300						
1	Off Deldorf from end of 4 inch pipe,			435						
2	Off Hill from Hill street,			530						
5	Off Pine from end of 4 inch pipe,			387						
1	Putnam from end of 4 inch pipe,									
4	Quarry st. extension from Common street,	3	1			622				
5	Quincy from Hancock street,	1		509		258				
4	Reardon from Common street,									
1	Rock Island from end of 6 inch pipe,			785						
1	Rogers from Centre road,			230						
5	Ruthvern from Vershire street,	2		250		220				
5	Ruthvern from Vershire street,					679				
4	Side from Quarry street extension,		1							
5	Safford from Wilson street,	1	2				477			
1	Upland road from Dimmock,	3	2			780				
6	Vershire from end of 6 inch pipe,	1					90			
6	Webster from end of 6 inch pipe,			110						
2	Wendall road from Quincy avenue,	1	1				489			
	Extra Gates,	19	5							
	Extra Hydrants,									
	Total,	68	30	8987	2160	6394	533	144	1500	

Number of feet, 19,718. Number of miles, 3.73.

Bond Account for Water.

Amount of bonds issued to Dec. 31,		
1893,	\$700,000 00	
Amount of bonds issued in 1894, .	30,000 00	
Amount of bonds issued in 1895, .	45,000 00	
Amount of bonds issued in 1896, .	18,000 00	
Amount of bonds issued in 1897, .	30,000 00	
Amount of bonds issued in 1898, .	30,000 00	
Amount of bonds issued in 1899, .	30,000 00	
Amount of bonds issued to date, ————		\$883,000 00
Amount of bonds paid in 1893, .	\$1,000 00	
Amount of bonds paid in 1894, .	24,000 00	
Amount of bonds paid in 1895, .	25,000 00	
Amount of bonds paid in 1896, .	25,500 00	
Amount of bonds paid in 1897, .	27,500 00	
Amount of bonds paid in 1898, .	28,500 00	
Amount of bonds paid in 1899, .	29,500 00	
	—————	\$161,000 00
Bonds outstanding Dec. 31, 1899,		\$722,000 00

Report of Sewerage Commissioners.

To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Quincy :

GENTLEMEN—At the beginning of the year there were two unfinished contracts for doing sewer work in Ward 5. On one of these contracts, with the A. W. Bryne Construction Co., there remained to be built about 690 feet of 20 inch sewer between Hancock street and Newport avenue. Work on this contract was completed in July. On account of some unsettled labor claims that have been filed against the city, final settlement under this contract has not yet been made.

The other unfinished contract was also with A. W. Bryne Construction Company. On this contract there were about 3090 feet of sewers in Brook street and vicinity to be built. As the company was in financial difficulty this contract was terminated early in the year, and a new contract for the balance of the work was executed with the Treasurer of the Company, James L. Bryne. Work on this contract was begun by Mr. Bryne, but the progress was so unsatisfactory that the city was compelled to take possession of the work.

It was thought best to complete the work by day labor with the city gangs. They began on June 3 and finished before the middle of July. The cost was about \$1600 in excess of the contract price, and a demand has been made upon the sureties to make good this deficit.

When the appropriation for construction became available this year, arrangements were soon made for carrying on the work.

Stock for the season was contracted for from the following parties :

Sewer Pipe, from A. J. Richards & Son, Quincy.

Brick, from George R. Sampson, Middleboro.

Cement, from Waldo Bros., Boston.

Manhole Frames and Covers, from Mechanics Iron Foundry Co., Boston.

On June 1st, a contract for doing sewer work in Ward 5 was executed with M. J. O'Hearn & T. J. Kelley of Brookline, Mass. Under this contract 1047.5 feet of main sewer and 7738 feet of lateral sewers were built. Work on this contract was finished in September and final settlement will be made within a few days.

On July 1st, a contract for doing sewer work in Wards 1 and 3 was executed with James Driscoll & Son of Brookline, Mass. Under this contract there have been built 3747.5 feet of 18 inch, 435.8 feet of 15 inch, 2239.5 feet of 12 inch, and 188.5 feet of 8 inch sewers. These sewers are mains for the portion of Ward 3 lying west of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and for a portion of Ward 4. Work on this contract was finished late in December and final settlement has not yet been made.

Work of building sewers by the day was begun about April 10. Two gangs of men have been employed throughout the season the work being finished late in December. These gangs have built 3.71 miles of sewers.

LIST OF SEWERS BUILT DURING 1899.

LOCATION.	LENGTH.	FROM	TO
WARD ONE.			
Adams street,	723	Near Alleyne street,	Near Hancock street.
Hancock street,	363	Near Merry Mount road,	Near Greenleaf street.
Butler road,	1,228.4	Marginal road,	Park lane.
Merry Mount road,	903.8	165.6 ft. west of Putnam St.,	Park lane.
Putnam street,	792.3	263.7 So. of Merry Mount road,	275 ft. north of Butler road.
Park lane,	400	Merry Mount road,	120 ft. north of Butler road.
Irving place,	795	Saville street,	795 ft. southerly.
Elm street,	1,137.4	Bigelow street,	Near Washington street.
Private way off Deldorf street,	300	Deldorf street,	300 ft. northerly.
Roselin avenue,	255.6	Whitwell street,	Beacon street.
Beacon street,	181.7	Roselin avenue,	Southerly.
Town Brook sewer, Wards 1 and 3,	3,747.5	Hancock street,	Water street.
WARD TWO.			
Baxter street,	420	Elm street,	420 ft. southeasterly.
South Walnut street,	289.1	Elm street,	Union street.
Union street,	367.8	South Walnut street,	Main street.
Main street,	130	Union street,	130 ft. southeasterly.
WARD THREE.			
Gordon street,	318.7	Water street,	Northeasterly.
Garfield street,	775.2	Water street,	Northerly and easterly.
Clarke avenue,	438	Garfield street,	Northerly.
Private way off Clarke avenue,	307.7	Clarke avenue,	Easterly.

Water street, Brook road, Liberty street, Brooks avenue, Trafford street, Rodnan street, Intervale street, Caledonia avenue, Private land, Columbia street, Centre street,	1,560 1,045.5 497.5 748.2 1,280.7 800 577.8 225 746.2 1,215.5 547.5	Brook road, Water street, Brook road, Liberty street, Brooks avenue, Brooks avenue, Brooks avenue, Intervale street, Liberty street, 284.5 ft. n. w. of Taber street, Columbia street,	Granite street. Liberty street. Southwesterly. Intervale street. Centre street. Southwesterly. Caledonia avenue. Northwesterly. Columbia street. Centre street. Trafford street.
WARD FIVE. Quincy street, Farrington street, Brook street, Elmwood avenue, Central avenue, Newport avenue, Arlington street, Fayette street, Farrington street, Safford street, Taylor street, Highland avenue,	690.6 1,047.5 771 1,485 1,481 326 773 1,142 427 1,748 1,048 1,645	Near Hancock street, Brook street, Farrington street, Newport avenue, Newport avenue, Central avenue, Elmwood avenue, 206 ft. north of Brook street, Brook street, Near Beale street, Brook street, Beale street,	Newport avenue. Central avenue. Highland avenue. Highland avenue. Highland avenue. Southerly. Northerly. Northerly. Near Beale street. Northerly. Central avenue. Central avenue.

A total of 35,692 feet — about 6 3/4 miles.

Of the total expenditures of the year, something in excess of \$57,000 has been paid to citizens of Quincy and those doing business in the City of Quincy.

The payments of the year from the appropriation for construction may be summarized as follows :

Paid on account of contract with the A.

W. Bryne Construction Co., . . .	\$5,458 14
Paid Deane Steam Pump Co. (final payment under contract), . . .	3,632 50
Paid James L. Bryne, . . .	330 00
Paid Long & Little (finished last year), . . .	3,229 35
Paid O'Hearn & Kelley, . . .	7,721 44
Paid James Driscoll & Son, . . .	9,346 47
Labor, inspection, engineering, clerk, . . .	37,277 20
Rent (office), . . .	250 00
Rent (stock yard), . . .	100 00
Stock and tools, . . .	18,246 65
Office expenses, including telephones, lighting, stationery, etc., . . .	313 53
Miscellaneous, . . .	372 86
Land and other damages, . . .	4,312 68
Legal expenses, . . .	492 00
	—————\$91,082 82

Assessments.

Early in September the Council passed an order determining the manner of levying sewer assessments and the rate. This order provides "That the estimated average cost of all the sewers in said system heretofore adopted by the said City of Quincy, be, and the same is, hereby fixed at one dollar and ninety-three cents per running foot, the same having been so found and determined by said City Council ; it is further Ordered : —That the said fixed uniform rate to be assessed upon estates is hereby established at twelve cents upon each foot of frontage on any street or way where a sewer is constructed, and six mills upon each square foot of area within said fixed depth of one hundred feet from said street or way."

Immediately after the Council passed the order the Board began the work of levying the assessments. Notices of assess-

ments have been sent on all but about 6 1-4 miles of the completed sewers, and the work of making the assessment plans for the remainder is well along.

The assessment notices sent out have been 1,254 in number and the aggregate amount is \$83,762.79.

An appropriation of \$2,000 was made by the Council for the purpose of making sewer assessments. Of this sum there has been expended for making assessment plans and clerical work of making assessments, \$1,306 07

For legal advice,	438 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,744 07
Leaving a balance of		\$255 93

To complete the work of assessing the sewers now completed will require an additional appropriation of about \$200 in addition to the above balance.

Maintenance.

The pumps at the pumping station were started and the system put into operation on May 8th. The pumps have been run daily since that date, and the sewers have received the attention necessary to keep them properly cleaned. As more connections are being made, the sewers will need more frequent flushing during the coming year. The appropriation for maintenance was \$4,000. Of this amount \$3,152.09 has been expended

House Connections.

On July 31 the work of making house connections with the public sewers was transferred to this department. At that time 116 connections had been made. Since that date 187 connections have been made, and the cost of making the same has been assessed upon the owners of the properties, as authorized by Chapter 319 of the Acts of 1899.

The 187 connections make a total length of 10,725 feet, which have been put in at a cost to the owners of \$4,973.12, an average of $46\frac{3}{10}$ cents per foot. The cost of making these connections per foot may be summarized thus:

Number costing less than 30 cents per foot,	8
Number costing from 30 cents to 40 cents per foot,	61

Number costing from 40 cents to 50 cents per foot, . . .	60
Number costing from 50 cents to 60 cents per foot, . . .	33
Number costing from 60 cents to 70 cents per foot, . . .	15
Number costing from 70 cents to 80 cents per foot, . . .	3
Number costing from 80 cents to 90 cents per foot, . . .	2
Number costing from 90 cents to \$1.00 per foot, . . .	1
Number costing more than \$1.00 per foot, . . .	4

The cost per connection is as follows:

Number costing less than \$10,	1
Number costing from \$10 to \$20,	76
Number costing from \$20 to \$30,	65
Number costing from \$30 to \$40,	28
Number costing from \$40 to \$50,	8
Number costing more than \$50,	9

Thirteen of the connections made were over one hundred feet long, the longest being one hundred and sixty-nine feet, the average length being about fifty-seven and three-tenths feet, and the average cost per connection \$26.60.

The privilege of having the cost apportioned over a number of years seems to be greatly appreciated.

An appropriation of \$6,000 was made for the purpose of making house connections. Of this \$5,231.72 has been expended, leaving a balance of \$768.28. There is assessable on the owners the sum of \$4,973.12, as named above. There are pay rolls amounting to about \$140 unpaid. There is pipe on hand to the value of about \$378, and sufficient tools to carry on the work. If the same method is to be followed in making house connections during the coming year, an appropriation will be required early in the year.

Completed Sewers.

We have now in successful operation a system of about twenty-three miles of sewers. It comprises a pumping station, well equipped with pumps and boilers of capacity sufficient to care for the sewage till about the year 1915, and room for additional pumping machinery and boilers when increased capacity is necessary; a 24-inch cast iron outfall sewer or force main

connected with the Boston outfall sewer at Squantum ; an intercepting main sewer, extending from the pumping station to Elm street, and another main extending to Brewer's Corner. These mains are designed to carry the sewage of Quincy Centre, Quincy Point, South Quincy and part of West Quincy. Connected with these main sewers are lateral sewers covering a large part of Quincy Centre and South Quincy, and a small portion of Wards 2 and 4. There is also a main sewer extending from the intercepting sewer first mentioned westerly to Newport avenue in the valley of Furnace brook ; tributary to this are the lateral sewers draining the south side of Wollaston Hill.

From the pumping station northerly is an intercepting or main sewer extending through Hancock street to Woodbine street. At this point it will eventually receive the sewage from Norfolk Downs and Atlantic, thence it extends westerly through Woodbine and Brook streets and northerly through Farrington street to Central avenue. This sewer may later be extended to provide for Montclair and adjacent lands. Draining into this main sewer are lateral sewers providing for the larger part of the thickly settled portion of Wollaston, west of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and some of the lands between Hancock street and the railroad. Reference to the accompanying plan will show more in detail the lateral sewers completed.

Careful records have been kept of the work done, and record plans of most of the work done have been completed, showing location and depth of sewers and connections.

A comparison of the cost of the work completed with the original estimate shows that the actual cost has been very close to that of the estimate. The variance on the whole work will probably not exceed five per cent.

Extensions.

There have been some petitions for extensions of the system that the Board has not been able to grant, and there are large and thickly settled sections of the city that have as yet no sewers. If it is thought best by the Council to continue sewer construction during the coming year, prompt measures should be taken for securing authority from the Legislature to borrow money for this purpose.

Metropolitan Sewer.

There was passed by the last General Court an act authorizing the construction of the so-called high level sewer for the South Metropolitan District: the sewer to be built through Quincy with outlet between Nut Island and Peddock's Island. The Board decided that the proposed point of discharge would be exceedingly detrimental to the health and best interests of the city, and instructed the City Solicitor to take action in the premises. He appeared before the Legislature and succeeded in having introduced into the act several important and valuable concessions, and a provision that no part of this sewer below Hyde Park be built until the outlet is approved by the State Board of Health, or before the year 1900.

The report of the State Board of Health will be made to the next General Court, and as the location of an outlet for this sewer is of great importance to Quincy's interests, the city should be represented before the Legislature when the report is being considered. By the act referred to above, Quincy was made a part of the South Metropolitan Sewerage District.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK L. JONES, *Secretary,*

For the Board of Sewerage Commissioners.

Report of City Clerk.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy:

I submit herewith the eleventh annual report of this office, for the year ending December 31, 1899.

RECEIPTS.

Marriage licenses,	\$105 50
Dog licenses,	170 00
Other licenses,	223 00
Recording mortgages, etc.,	145 15
Total,	————— \$643 65

The above sum has been paid to the City Treasurer, as will appear by his account.

Number of marriages recorded in 1899,	211
Number of deaths recorded in 1899,	387
Number of births recorded in 1899,	712
Number of marriage intentions recorded in 1899,	212

Number of dogs licensed: 762 males, 66 females, 2 kennels; for which the sum of \$1,904.00 was received, of which \$1,734.00 was paid to the County Treasurer, the remainder being included in the above account of receipts.

Annexed are lists of the births, marriages and deaths recorded in Quincy in 1899, the election returns for 1899 and the jury list for 1900.

Yours respectfully.

JAMES F. HARLOW,

City Clerk.

Births in Quincy, 1899.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
January 1.	Bessie A. Dunham,	George H. and May E. T.
1.	Mary Florence Hannan,	Stephen and Bridget
1.	Patrick Henry Murphy,	Patrick and Bridget
1.	Mary Brughera,	John B. and Josephine
2.	Josephine Roccio,	Ernest and Lizzie
2.	——— Givoini,	John and Rosie
2.	Ethel Marie Chapman,	Hazen B. and Jessie M.
2.	Oscar Johnson,	John and Hulda
3.	Cleod Alvin MacDonald,	Hugh and Catherine
3.	Harold Leo Myette,	Mark and Jennie
3.	Sovnia Mattson,	Henry and Hedrick
3.	Eva Decelle,	Mitchell and Rose
3.	Margaret Mae Collins,	James and Katie
4.	——— Matson,	Andrew and Mina
5.	William Harlow,	James F. and Bessie P.
5.	Thomas Howard Langton,	George and Margaret A.
6.	Edwin John Stephen,	William and Vella
6.	Margaret Hogan,	Joseph F. and Lizzie M.
8.	Ottarina Zaverttoni,	Stephen and Veronica
8.	Percy Edward Veal,	Thomas and Georgina
8.	Philip Zaverttoni,	Stephen and Veronica
8.	Theresa Cahill,	Peter J. and Mary Ellen
9.	Fredell Bernasconi,	Angelo and Jennie
9.	——— Siostiop,	Christian and Christine
10.	Walter Wentworth Black,	Joseph F. and Viola Belle
10.	——— Beaton,	Alexander and Martha E.
10.	Walter Daniel Lennon,	Daniel and Elizabeth
11.	Annie Gandiano,	Philip and Genoretta
12.	John Hughes,	James and Mary
12.	Inez Waterhouse,	Edwin J. and Ida
12.	Edwin Thomas Saville,	Michael and Bridget
13.	Stillborn,	
14.	Charles Irving Mullaney,	Thomas A. and Elizabeth
14.	Ralph Ellsworth Burrell,	Frank E. and Susanna F.
14.	——— Krasmski,	Leon and Ella
14.	Josephine Lyons,	William S. and Flora
14.	Joseph Lyons,	William S. and Flora
14.	——— Sugrue,	Cornelius and Elizabeth
15.	Marchi Isadore Fletcher,	Calvin and Agnes
15.	Carl Axberg,	Charles and Hannah
16.	Ethel Charlotte Johnson,	Swan and Anna L.
16.	Marguerite Louise Moody,	Horace W. and Margaret J.
17.	Helen Dorothy Quinn,	J. Henry and Maggie K.
17.	Hilda Anderson,	Charles and Ida
17.	Elizabeth Cornie Johnson,	Charles A. and Minnie
19.	Ignazia Bova,	Cosimo and Ignazia
20.	——— Swanson,	Fritz and Jennie
20.	Margaret Newell Ellard,	James and Catherine

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
January 20.	Hubert Girouard,	Hubert and Sopiah
21.	Grace Agnes Spargo,	Frederick J. and Margaret
22.	Mabel Geneva Dixon,	Albion I. and Jennie
23.	— — Hunter,	George and Charlotte A.
24.	Henry Hardwick Faxon,	Henry M. and Lizzie C.
24.	Alice Mildred Avery,	John A. and Hanna G.
24.	Annie Blanche Holdsworth,	John and Susie
25.	— — Bisson,	Thomas and Edith
28.	Eaton Perkins,	Fred A. and Dora May
28.	— — Griffin,	Lewis G. and Addie
29.	Edward Patrick Devany,	James and Kate
29.	Albert Arthur Pareti,	Stephen and Alvira
30.	George Thomas McLaughlin,	Thomas and Lena
30.	Percival Augustus Ames,	George and Alice S.
30.	Martin Raymond Chrisham,	Peter and Sarah
31.	Ruth Julia Carlson,	Andrew and Annie
February 1.	Lewis Barry Nyhan,	Daniel and Nellie
1.	Velma Frances Haskins,	George E. and Edna F.
1.	William Ray Westland,	William and Mary
2.	James Herbert McLeod,	Archie and Julia
2.	James Henry McCleary,	Michael and Hannah
2.	Gracie Agnes Prario,	George and Josephine
3.	Irwin Nilson,	Richard and Gertrude
4.	William Nicholson,	James and Mary
4.	— — Holmes,	Frederick and Alice
4.	Robert Everett Mayo, Jr.,	Robert E. and Margaret A.
4.	Edith Sturdevant,	Frank and Edith
5.	— — Catara,	Theophile and Victoria
5.	Lydia Johnson,	Matthew and Lydia
7.	— — Whalen,	Thomas and Mary
7.	Francis Joseph Ferguson,	Edward and Alexandrine
7.	Elsie Russell Olfine,	Charles and Mary
7.	Charles Smith,	William and Hilda
8.	Simon Taurendeau,	Simon and Emma
8.	William Joseph Cunniff,	Martin W. and Nellie R.
8.	— — Kilpatrick,	Charles W. and Martha
8.	Edna Myrtle Abbott,	Henry P. and Ella
8.	Nellie Jones,	Charles S. and Mary
8.	Julia Agnes Tracy,	Hugh P. and Julia A.
9.	Beatrice Josephine Brown,	Joseph B. and Maria A.
9.	John W. Jellow,	John H. and Rose
10.	— — Grise,	David and Georgiana
10.	Sisilia Mattson,	John and Sophia
10.	Mabel McEachern,	Ronald and Emma F.
11.	Veda Ceconnio,	Vichomeus and Beegmic
12.	Thomas Ritchie Craig,	Thomas H. and Annie
12.	Carroll Kennedy McTear,	Ellis M. and Addie E.
12.	Marion Viola Gardiner,	Frank A. and Oleva C.
14.	Henry Duggan,	John and Catherine

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
Feb.	14. Ralph Leroy Webster,	Eugene A. and Lottie F.
	14. Charles Edward Bosclair,	Peter and Annie
	15. Julia Frances Mahoney,	Dennis and Nora
	— — — — — Osborne,	Robert and Annie
	17. Dennis Louis Ford,	Daniel F. and Mary R.
	17. Carl Edwin Johnson,	John and Anna
	18. Albert Johnson,	John and Betsey
	18. — — — — — Viden	August and Marie
	18. Clarence Sidney Pincl,	Walter P. and Elizabeth
	18. John Walter Boudro,	Edmund M. and Mary E.
	19. Raymond Kenneth Hoyt,	James E. and Mary
	19. Stillborn,	
	21. — — — — — Donahue,	Dennis P. and Mary J.
	21. Louis Grossman,	Louis and Ida
	21. Fritz Walter Johnson,	Carl O. and Helma
	22. Frank Hubbard McLeod,	Daniel and Cassie
	22. George Cronin,	John and Hannah
	22. Harold Thornton Hall,	Albert H. and Mary
	23. — — — — — Riscobi,	Jacob and Amanda
	23. — — — — — Beattie,	David and Jane,
	23. Elmer C. C. Bergstrom,	Fred W. and Emma O.
	23. Norma May Johnson,	Joseph W. and Isabelle S.
	24. Annie Muagni,	Enrico and Rosa
	24. Annie Elizabeth Dwyer,	Frederic C. and Annie
	25. Axel George Bergman,	Gustaf and Edla
	25. Mary Elizabeth Lewis,	Robert J. and Delia M.
	25. — — — — — Murphy,	William and Mary
	27. Marion Francis Bailey.	Charles D. and Nellie M.
	28. Helen Gertrude Meany,	James and Ellen
March	1. Salvatore DiBona,	John and Catherine
	1. Ardinando Bonfigli,	Vitale and Ida
	2. Cellina Beliveau,	Frank and Mary L.
	2. Eva Anderson,	Axel and Anna
	2. Alice Horrigan,	Peter and Mary
	3. Lillian Bicknell Spear,	Harry P. and Rose T.
	3. — — — — — Mullen,	James and Catherine
	4. Marion Kemp,	Alexander R. L. and Mary
	4. Mary Ethel Osborne,	Charles A. and Catherine M.
	6. Flora Ann McKay,	Allen D. and Mary B.
	6. Andrew William Herbert Johnson,	Andrew J. and Elizabeth
	6. Robert Giardino,	Cumming and Evangeline
	7. Joseph Francis Hughes,	William P. and Anna
	8. Angus John Martin,	Charles K. and Catherine
	8. William Buckley,	John and Bessie
	8. Grace Josephine Goodhue,	J. Frank and Mary E.
	8. Philip Behan Kelliher,	Daniel and Katie
	9. Evelyn Ely,	Archibald H. and Jennie M.
	9. Harold Eugene Westcott,	Edward and Florence
	9. Illegitimate,	

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
March 10.	John Doyle,	John and Margaret
10.	Margaret Alice Meehan,	Walter J. and Alice M.
10.	Mary Louise Meehan,	Walter J. and Alice M.
11.	Gertrude Rose Crowley,	Cornelius and Nellie
11.	John Wilson,	Lars and Mary
12.	Aloysius Burkhardt,	Aloysius and Mary
12.	Carl Russell Nelson,	John T. and Alfreda
12.	Laura Edith Wight,	Gilbert M. and Margaret
13.	Edward Bryan,	John and Ellen
14.	Gertrude Cecilia Petipit,	Dennis J. and Catherine
15.	——— Curtin,	Edward J. and Catherine
16.	——— Meekic,	John and Matilda
16.	Camilla Della Trichi,	Antonio and Natalie
16.	Stillborn.	
17.	Margaret McDougall,	Daniel and Bridget
17.	Kenneth Ross Field,	George W. and Annie S.
17.	Edith E. Petterson,	Oscar and Gertrude
17.	Lillian Gertrude Sanborn,	Eben and Lillian F.
18.	Richard De La Rocco,	Antonio and Josephine
19.	——— Monti,	Elias and Josephine
20.	Amelia Mezzlai,	Amabile and Camilli
20.	——— Carlson,	Eric and Sophia
20.	Mabel Collins,	John J. and Mary J.
20.	Carl Selim Carlson,	Victor and Adelina
21.	Alice Good,	Michael and Susie
22.	Carl Erik Anderson,	Charles and Annie
22.	Grace Murphy,	Arthur B. and Elizabeth J.
22.	Alfred Locanni,	Abele C. and Gioalmina
22.	Margaret Evelyn Hartrey,	Michael J. and Frances S.
24.	Romeo Aguzzalio,	Romeo and Lucy
24.	Margaret Mary Flaherty,	Edward and Helen
24.	Agnes Virginia Fay,	Patrick and Margaret
24.	William Ferriter,	Michael and Catherine
24.	Gladys Viola Hirtle,	Lemuel K. and Sarah E.
24.	Leo Harold Doucett,	Joseph and Katherine
25.	James McDonald,	James and Sarah
25.	Wallace Nilson Heath,	Walter and Lottie
25.	Arthur Di Bona,	Benjamin and Mary
26.	Muriel Fratus,	John and Gertrude
26.	Frank Clare Foss,	George H. and Jennie
27.	Adele Catto,	Charles and Adele
27.	Dorothy May Fratus,	Joseph and Emma L.
28.	James Fountain,	Ferma and Juditha
28.	Jennie Margaret Byron,	John J. and Mary T.
29.	Leah Gladys Hamm,	Thomas G. and Alice
29.	Carl Elmer Asklund,	Charles and Sholfin
29.	——— Michelson,	Samuel and Mary
30.	——— Hinchon,	Jeremiah and Elizabeth
March 30.	William Patrick Fitzgerald,	John J. and Margaret

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
	30. Jane Margery Torrey,	Frederick and Fannie
	30. Verna May Bent,	Fred L. and Eliza
	31. ——— Little,	Daniel C. and Mary A.
	31. Francis Philip Innes,	Arthur and Olivia
	31. ——— Brightman,	Joseph S. and Esther
	31. Daniel James McLean, Jr.,	Daniel J. and Katherine A.
April	1. James Francis Fitzgerald,	James and Hannah
	1. ——— Birnie,	Alexander and Annie
	1. ——— Birnie,	Alexander and Annie
	1. Harold Gordon Hunt,	Charles E. and Louise P.
	1. William Ferriter,	Michael and Katherine
	1. Charles Henry Brown,	Charles F. and Susan L.
	2. Lizzie Walsh,	Peter and Kate
	3. Ethel Grace Adams,	Arthur M. and Alice
	4. ——— Aubert,	Eloe and Eugenie
	4. Albert Edward Rendle,	Henry J. and Elizabeth
	6. Mitchell Wilfred Lavoie,	Mitchell and Josephine
	6. Anna Isabelle Burns,	John E. and Anna
	6. Francis Burtell Ellis,	Oscar B. and Margaret E.
	7. Edward Bryan,	Edward and Margaret
	8. Nellie Josephine Kuchn,	John and Annie
	9. Joseph Daniel Tite,	John and Margaret
	11. Albert Corragho,	James and Libera
	11. Jerry Malanni,	Frank and Claundi
	11. William Cummings,	James and Mary
	11. ——— Meline,	Frank and Melinda
	12. ——— Tinney,	Daniel F. and Sadie
	12. ——— Card,	James W. and Laura M.
	13. John McDermott,	John and Mary
	13. Gordon L. Spinney,	Thomas L. and Winifred
	13. Nadine Barry,	George A. C. and Carrie F.
	13. Alice Powers,	Edward and Annie E.
	13. Robert McIntyre, Jr.,	Robert and Nellie
	14. Catherine Genevieve Curtin,	Lawrence and Rosetta
	14. Edith Leete Lamb,	John A. and Mary A.
	16. John Percival Hedman,	Erie G. and Hilda
	17. Katherine Little,	Simon F. and Rosanna
	17. Grace Day Thorne,	Henry W. and Helen
	18. ——— Mewis,	William and Annie
	18. Hilma Johnson,	Charles and Hilma
	18. James F. Riley,	Stephen and Margaret
	18. Warren E. Carney,	Robert and Mary
	19. Caroline Woodman McKenzie,	Charles W. and Margaret
	19. ——— McLellan,	John and Maggie
	21. Carl Anderson,	John and Hilda
	23. Ruth Marion Higgins,	Israel L. and Edith E.
	23. Florence May McKay,	Alexander and Maggie
	24. Mary Melvina Muse,	Jeremiah and Mary E.
	25. Eber Ellenora Rosensohn,	Peter and Annie

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
April	26. ——— Snow,	Hjalmar and Mary
	27. Herbert H. Barelay,	Herbert E. and Blanche G.
	28. Margaret Main,	George and Christiana
	28. George Murdock McLeod,	James and Sarah
	29. Stillborn.	
	30. Margaret Josephine Cuffe,	James T. and Mary A.
	30. John Casarico,	John and Mary
	30. Eva Olivia Diack,	Alfred and Jeannie
	30. Lena Corbett,	Michael F. and Bridget
	30. Everett J. McIntosh,	John and Catherine
	30. John Kerrigan,	Thomas F. and Margaret
	30. Julius Cohen,	Joseph and Rosie
May	1. Peter William Djerf,	Oscar E. and Amanda
	1. Helen Marie Galvin,	Timothy J. and Margaret
	2. Edward James Lamb,	Thomas J. and Laura E.
	2. Harriet Louise Anderson.	August and Henrietta
	2. Caroline Crane,	Harry S. and Coroline
	3. Hilda Swanson,	Jacob and Hilda
	3. ——— Galligan,	James H. and Mary A.
	3. Clara Murray,	George H. and Sarah O.
	5. Gracie Bianchi,	Herbert and Mary
	6. ——— Anderson,	Anton and Sigrid
	6. Mary Ann Welch,	Michael and Kate
	6. Josephine E. M. A. Mortenson,	William and Elizabeth
	7. Ernest Francis Wallace,	Ernest and Elizabeth
	9. James Ambrose Flowers,	Charles H. and Susan A.
	10. John Thomas Poole,	John J. and Julia
	10. Henry Murdock McDonald,	Alexander M. and Lavinia
	12. ——— Coleman,	George C. and Annie M.
	12. Lambert Joseph Horne,	Charles and Martha
	14. ——— Kelliher,	Andrew and Maggie
	14. Hannah Eva Rouleau,	August and Josephine
	14. Edna May Milne,	James and Marjorie
	17. Frederick Howard Hall,	John M. and Hattie A.
	18. Philip Michael Cook,	Philip D. and Mary
	19. Marion Louise Denneen,	William and Susie
	20. ——— McNally,	Charles and Selma
	20. Illegitimate,	
	20. Alphonso Pederzoli,	Joseph and Regina
	21. Ida May Carrullo,	John and Mary
	21. Eber Henrietta Peterson,	Olaf and Emma
	21. Homer Lane Bigelow, Jr.,	Homer L. and Mary S.
	21. Ruth Fisher,	Herbert F. and E. Ada
	22. Sydney Lloyd McLaughlin,	James W. and Laura
	23. John Joseph Reardon,	Patrick J. and Annie F.
	24. William Joseph Bennett,	Patrick and Mary
	24. Hilda Linquist,	Carl and Hilda
	24. ——— Cook,	Michael E. and Susan R.
	26. Mary White,	Thomas and Sarah

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May	27. Mary Ann Landry,	Joseph and Lumina
	28. Charles Frank Anderson,	Charles and Minnie
	28. ——— Corti,	Charles V. and Machella
	30. Mildred J. Landholm,	Fred and Hannah
	31. Annie Viola Tite,	Samuel and Nellie M.
	31. Timothy McCarthy,	Dennis and Mary
	31. Mary A. Vergobbi,	Carlo and Corti
June	1. Viola May Ford,	John E. and Mary M.
	1. Eleanor F. Bates,	Gustavus and Annie M.
	1. James Reynolds,	Alex and Margaret
	2. Hope William Matson,	William and Conilla
	2. ——— Martin,	August A. and Hattie
	2. Vira Mildred Seeley,	Benjamin and Emma A.
	3. Frank Byrne,	Frank and Winla
	3. Ann Ellis McTear,	James and Georgie M.
	5. Charles Winslow Johnson,	August V. and Cora
	6. Edwin Batchelder Allard,	Edwin A. and Nellie W.
	7. Olive Sutton Knowlton.	Frank W. and Agnes
	8. Michael Callahan,	Michael and Annie
	8. Eino Everett Thompson,	Thomas and Mary
	10. Martin Edward Shaughnessey,	Martin and Mary
	11. Nora Theresa Coreoran,	Jeremiah and Nora
	12. Frederick Angus Prince,	Edgar and Florence
	13. John Norman Magnall,	John W. and Nellie
	14. ——— Dean,	William and Mary
	14. Edith Bixby,	Thomas E. and Martha
	14. ——— Parsons,	William and Rose
	14. Dorothy Bright,	George E. and Anna
	15. John P. Reddington,	John and Mary
	16. ——— Monti,	Giuseppe and Amelia
	16. Dorothy Frances Ferguson,	George H. and Mary A.
	18. Martin Arthur Nicholson,	Martin and Josephine
	19. Lillian Harolda Hanson,	Harold and Annie
	19. ——— Riihimaki,	Matthew and Ida
	21. Nellie Reed,	Richard and Nellie
	22. ——— Bennett,	Edwin S. and Jeannie W.
	22. ——— Erickson,	John and ———
	22. Arthur Kimball Roberts,	Arthur C. and Emma F.
	23. Dorothy Mirian Duggan,	Michael and Hannah
	23. Mary Florence Keegan,	Lawrence and Margaret
	23. Anna Foy,	Robert E. and Margaret E.
	23. Marion F. King,	Joseph A. and Sophie
	25. Alice Louise Cutter,	William R. and Edith E.
	26. Jane Byers Stephens,	George and Bessie
	26. ——— Gillette,	Samuel and Caroline
	26. Francis Cashman,	William and Mary
	26. Margaret Theresa Rapp,	Joseph and Margaret
	27. ——— Fitzpatrick,	Luke and Margaret
	28. Marie Johnson,	Johan and Aleda

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June	28. James Maloney,	John J. and Pauline E.
	29. ——— Wedland,	Henry C. and Agnes
	29. Thomas Keeley,	John and Maria
	30. Frank Fruth,	Frank and Scholastica
	80. Ruth Louise Ranson,	John M. and Hattie J.
July	30. Flora E. Benson,	Arthur E. and Elma
	1. Elizabeth Crimmings,	Patrick and Mary
	2. ——— Horrigan,	John and Nellie
	2. Francis Melville Johnson,	Melville F. and Alice E.
	3. James Robert McCormick, Jr.,	James R. and Mary L.
	3. John Russell Deacon.	William H. and Ada
	3. Ellen Savage,	John T. and Anna
	3. David Washburn Bailey.	Charles W. and Mabel E.
	4. Agnes Lelia Jacobson,	Jacob and Alma
	4. ——— Bianchi,	Pascal and Lucy
	4. Dale M. Nelson,	Martin D. and Ella M.
	4. Robert U. G. Findlayson,	Robert W. and Martha J.
	4. Hattie Mabel Levangic	William and Lucy
	4. Sarah Nightingale,	John F. and Sarah B.
	4. ——— Mills,	Gilbert and Barbara
	4. Kenneth Winslow Drake.	George W. and Susie L.
	5. — — — Henderson.	Alexander and Eliza
	5. Catherine F. Gilcoinc,	John and Elizabeth
	5. William Kearns,	William and Annie
	5. Joseph J. Ryan,	Joseph F. and Mary E.
	6. Bertha Elizabeth Tinncy,	Frank and Josie
	6. Ethel Francis Church,	Burton F. and Carrie
	7. Harry Addison,	Leonard F. and Rosie E.
	7. Ethel May Littlewood,	William J. and Agnes
	7. Frances James Cramer,	Myles and Fannie
	8. Mary Ellen Curry,	John and Ellen
	9. Dorothy Sprague,	Eugene H. and Caroline N.
	9. Bertha Caoulicci,	Antonio and Mary
	9. ——— Kent,	Thomas and Bridget
	10. Augustine Dewey Maggiani,	Joseph and Meriloffi
	10. Martha Golden,	Patrick H. and Bridget
	10. Julia Franzi,	Frank and Mary
	11. Herbert Henry Pitts,	Paul and Ada
	11. Peter Boulitti,	Joseph and Lizzie
	11. Mary Florence Brown,	Frederick K. and Mary M.
	12. Margaret M. Boulangic.	Theophile and Delia
	14. John Herbert Hildbrand, Jr.,	John H. and Minnie L.
	16. Cassie Jane Vincent,	Augustus and Isabella
	17. Ellen Johnson,	Victor and Olga
	18. Gertrude Driscoll,	Daniel F. and Mary
	19. ——— Casarico,	Felix and Philomena
	19. ——— Annala.	Gabriel and Mary
	19. Michael Giglio.	Frank and Rosolia
	20. Mabel Frazier,	Allen J. and Elizabeth

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July	21. Thelma Ingraham,	Amos L. and Margaret
	22. Margaret Clare,	Henry and Margaret
	22. Catherine May Donovan,	Jeremiah W. and Catherine T.
	23. Nueka Erickson,	Nils and Josephine
	22. Rowland Newcomb,	Charles H. and Clara
	23. Lydia Roesler,	Charles and Minnie
	23. Stillborn.	
	23. Edward Hugh McDonald,	George and Jane
	25. Mary Ash,	John H. and Alice T.
	25. Bessie Johnson Langhorn,	Benjamin and Jennie
	26. George E. Fostello,	Charles and Mary F.
	26. Ruth Josephine Taylor,	William H. and Mary A.
	27. Esther Hall,	John, Jr., and Esther S.
	28. ——— Rocco,	Augusto and Josephine C.
	29. Pearle Violet Dunham,	Merton T. and Cora M.
	30. Stillborn.	
	31. Stillborn.	
	31. Warren Lester Jones,	Frank W. and Mabel
	Lewis Harrington,	Fred and ———
August	2. Albert Aberdeen,	Alexander and Annie
	3. Warren E. Cottrell,	Walter and Ella M.
	4. George Alfred Pitts,	Joseph and Agnes
	4. Berenice Edith Patten,	George and Ida
	5. Thomas Ferguson,	Patrick J. and Margaret
	5. John J. Gallagher,	Henry T. and Philomena
	7. Leon Morton Stoddard,	Arthur P. and Annie M.
	9. ——— Cavanagh,	James and Garoline
	9. Agnes M. Smith,	William H. and Agnes
	11. Rose Fruth,	Frank and Rose
	11. ——— Frouland,	Andrew P. and Annie
	11. Mary Francis Blaine,	John and Ellen
	12. Pearl Beatrice Barnes,	James M. and Gertrude
	12. Francis Stephen Kelliher,	Michael S. and Mary
	13. ——— Berinato,	Giovanni and Ernestine
	13. Marie R. L. Fadette,	Frank E. and Adela
	14. Stillborn.	
	14. Florence D. Thompson,	Oscar and Amanda
	15. Charles Edwin Martin,	Peter and Helen
	15. Marguerite Marie Davis,	John and Carrie
	16. ——— Phelan,	John J. and Mary E.
	16. Grace Margaret Vatcher,	Fenton and Margaret
	16. John Elmer Martzer,	John and Minnie
	17. Earl Crosby Cavanagh,	Calvin C. and Jennie E.
	18. Stillborn.	
	18. James D. Houlihan,	James and Annie
	18. Dorothy Hall,	Arthur W. and May
	18. Walter A. Edward,	Lewis and Emma
	18. Walter Burgess,	Lewis F. and Emma R.
	18. ——— Ames,	Edward and Marguerite
	19. Stillborn.	

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
August 19.	Florence Olive Anderson,	John and Ellen
19.	Lewis Nichols Curtis, Jr.,	Lewis N. and Sophia
19.	James Hicks Foskett,	Charles J. and Edith
20.	Illegitimate.	
21.	George Hudson Strobridge Soule, Jr.	George H. S. and Minnie
21.	—— — Porter,	Charles and Agnes
21.	—— — Porter,	Charles and Agnes
22.	Elizabeth L. Buckley,	William M. and Elizabeth
24.	May Blake,	E. Wilson and Eva
24.	George D. Gorman,	William and Kate
24.	Ruthie Barton Gorman,	William and Kate
25.	Edward J. Moriarty,	John J. and Agnes
27.	Stillborn.	
27.	Ruth Irene Osgood,	Frederic G. and Emily
28.	Kenneth Lars Osberg,	Frank and Annie S.
28.	Avis Augusta Newcomb,	Elmer E. and Margaret E.
30.	—— — Crosta,	Felice and Baptisma
31.	Mabel Robinson Evans,	David J. and Mary A.
31.	Raymond Chester Hood,	Asa and Laura
31.	John Adams Coosa,	Stephen and Theresa
Sept. 1.	Elizabeth F. Hastings,	James and Mary Ann
2.	James O'Connell,	Michael and Norah
3.	Lucy May Shay,	Albert P. and Louise G.
3.	Elsie M. Lindorf,	August F. and Hulda
4.	Arturo Rizzi,	Peter and Catherine
4.	Illegitimate,	
4.	David W. Anderson,	David and Emily
5.	Edner Marie Jacobson,	Ole and Annie
5.	Addie May Nutting,	Fred C. and Mary
5.	Louise Sullivan,	Daniel M. and Abigail L.
6.	Hugh Golden,	Bryan and Mary
6.	David Pierce Ashley,	Chester and Sophronia
6.	Helen Hayden Collins	Timothy B. and Eva G.
7.	George Daniel Pitts,	George and Margaret
7.	Clarence S. Maxwell,	Frederick A. and Alma M.
7.	Stillborn.	
8.	James Hilton Marr,	James and Henrietta
8.	John W. Croke,	Charles and Florence
9.	Morton G. Anderson.	Nels and Selma
9.	Jennie Levowitch,	Joseph and Estella
9.	John Adclo Capistro,	Antony and Rosie
10.	James Francis Foley,	Patrick and Bridget
11.	John Joseph Minihan,	John P. and Mary E.
12.	Myrtle Marion Sass,	Frank C. and Meta D.
12.	Robert Ray Taylor,	Thomas and Mary
12.	Annie C. Peterson,	Alexander and Catherine
14.	Joseph E. Markham,	Frances J. and Margaret
15.	Stillborn.	
16.	Margaret F. McAskill,	Roderick and Annie
16.	Ethel May Bradley,	Patrick and Annie

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Sept.	17. Elmer Leonard Geist,	Earl and Edla
	17. — — — Moore.	Patrick and Mary
	20. Florence H. Simpson,	William E. and Carrie
	20. ——— McKay,	Daniel and Delia
	20. Erick Curtis Lewis,	Linwood and Marie J.
	23. Erick Y. Nelson,	Andrew and Anna
	24. Alice and Mary Ford,	Daniel J. and Alice May
	15. Gladys Kingman,	Howard G. and Nellie M.
	27. ——— Chini,	Alexander and Olympia
	27. Elizabeth Mary Coughlin,	Timothy J. and Julia
	27. ——— Magoun,	Charles and Catherine J.
	28. ——— Seppia,	Seppia and Fannie
	29. Herbert Frederick Rhines,	William and Mary
	30. Thomas W. Mayo,	Thomas and Harriet
	30. Sandbloom,	Frank and Emily
	30. Catherine Effie Ross,	Archibald and Margaret
Oct.	1. James Joseph Fallon,	John L. and Mary E.
	1. Edson G. Waterhouse,	Joseph F. and Jennie M.
	2. Percy Jenkins,	James H. and Elizabeth S.
	2. ——— Walsh,	William and Julies
	2. Catherine Rose,	William G. and Elizabeth
	3. John Herbert Totman,	Christopher J. H. and Alice
	6. Horace Edward Hussey,	William B. and Margaret J.
	6. Eva Shackley,	Joseph W. and Maude
	7. Winifred Gunning,	Bartholomew and Annie
	7. John Gilcoine,	James and Mary
	8. Leno Chester Rosa,	Peter and Columbia
	9. James Carroll,	John and Susan
	9. Dorothy Brooks Jones,	Frederick E. and Clara L.
	10. ——— Wilson,	Carl and Annie
	10. ——— Rennie,	John and Jane
	10. ——— Tinney,	James and Lizzie
	10. Frederick James Oppie,	James and Mary J.
	10. John J. Connelly,	John J. and Annie M.
	10. Carl H. S. Carlson,	Henry and Hilda
	10. ——— Barry,	Maurice and Mary
	12. Henry W. Petterson,	John A. and Ingar
	12. Elliot Stoddard,	Alexander E. and Ella H.
	14. Eleanor B. Parsons,	Charles F. and Ellen
	14. Conrad S. Keyes,	William E. and Katherine
	15. Stillborn.	
	15. George D. E. Bouchard,	Touissand and Ludwine
	15. ——— Berggren,	Pehi and Amanda
	16. Julian E. Macdonald,	Angus G. and Margaret
	16. Vilhelm Isaacson,	Anthony and Cecelia
	16. Samuel George Trevaine,	Samuel and Elizabeth
	16. ——— MacDonald,	Angus and Maggie
	17. ——— Church,	George H., and Hattie A.
	17. Lippi L. Wirkkala,	Abraham and Christannia

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
Oct.	17. Margaret Gavin,	William and Mary
	18. Francis G. Marden,	Harry G. and Fannie A.
	20. Anna Theresa Sheahan,	Michael and Ellen
	21. ——— Sheahan,	Thomas and Mary
	21. Stillborn.	
	21. Stillborn.	
	21. Elizabeth Dorothy Russell,	Alexander and Elizabeth
	21. ——— Thomas,	James and Annie
	22. Thure Hemming Alenquist,	George and Hilda
	22. Everett Cooper Pinkham,	Arthur F. and Aliee L.
	22. ——— Nicholson,	Angus and Elizabeth F.
	23. Emma K. Felicia,	Krosta and Emma
	23. Clarence Rogers Burgin,	Clarence and Minnie
	24. Michael Flaherty,	Michael and Ellen
	24. Annie Nicholson,	John A. and Annie
	24. Richard Chalmers,	David and Christina
	25. Aliee May Flaherty,	John and Mary
	25. Aliee O'Brien,	James J. and Mary E.
	26. John J. Malone,	Patriek and Leonora
	26. Paul Vasant,	Rinaldo and Amelia
	26. Clarence W. Chilstedt,	Charles and Clara
	26. James Matthew Corbin,	William R. and Nora
	28. ——— Thompson,	Emanuel and Annie M.
	28. Hjalmar L. Leppaitan,	Finille and Fanny
	30. Mildred Eleanor Stuart.	John and Eleanor
	31. Warren Benvenuto,	Antonio Luey
	31. John William Roberts,	John G. and Elizabeth
	31. Aliee Brogan,	James B. and Aliee
Nov.	1. Antonio Zenia,	Genero and Mary
	2. Jane Elizabeth Nolan	William and Catherine
	5. Ruth Marion Messerli,	Frederie and Agnes
	5. ——— Nicoll,	Harry and Jessie
	5. James J. Payne,	William R. and Florence
	6. James Russell Pineo,	Henry and Mary
	7. ——— Weeden,	Oskar and Hulda
	7. Frank Ray Alden,	Gustavus and Bessie
	8. Anna Grady,	Patriek C. and Delia M.
	8. Florence Amelia Ingaberg,	Osear and Hulda
	8. ——— Pope,	Edward R. and Isabella
	9. John E. Warmington,	William and Minnie
	9. Hjalmar Eugene Lofgren,	William R. and Augusta
	10. James Patrick Gormally,	Patrick and Bridget
	10. Arthur Everett Burr,	George S. and Jessie K.
	10. Eleanor Elizabeth Friske,	Oscar and Margaret
	10. Gerald Joseph Hurley,	Timothy J. and Jane L.
	11. Mildred Estella Tirrell,	Arthur and Susan I.
	12. John Gillispie Early.	John B. and Mary
	12. Helma Johnson,	Carl and Helma
	12. Andrew Alexander Murphy,	Eugene L. and Marguerite
	12. Thomas James Ballou,	Lawrence and Celia

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
Nov.	13. Matthew L. Lawton,	Edward and Margaret
	13. George Wesley Kilpatrick,	Maurice and Mattie
	13. Lawrence Porpora,	Joseph and Josephine
	14. Margaret McGrath,	Edward J. and Katherine
	15. Josie Mercurio,	Onopio and Francesca
	16. Annie M. Peterson,	Matthew and Emma
	16. Albert S. Robinson,	Albert S. and Lizzic
	16. Myrtle Soulis,	Henry H. and Lizzic M.
	17. Stryral Johannes,	Thrilma and Edla
	17. ——— Merini,	Thomas and Etta
	18. Edward Barry,	Michael and Mary A.
	18. Mitchell Theodore Favers,	Mitchell and Mary
	19. Frank Howard Fariell,	Thomas J. and Ellen B.
	19. Henry Arthur St. Pierre,	William and Ludumia
	20. Catherine May McDonald,	John and Effie
	20. ——— Kirk,	James B. and Laura M.
	23. ——— Bamford,	Doctor and Mary G.
	26. Lil. Elizabeth Hendrickson,	Matt and Lendi
	26. Catherine Lewis,	L. Thomas and Bridget
	26. ——— Malinquist,	John and Annie
	26. ——— Malinquist,	John and Annie
	26. George Frederic Williams,	Robert J. and Margaret A.
	27. ——— Wirkkala,	Abram and Christina
	27. John Benzie,	Peter and Johanna
	27. ——— Reed,	Arthur and Clara J.
	27. Patrick Boyle O'Connell,	James and Margaret
	27. Bernard Peter Hannon,	Thomas J. and Mary J.
	27. Mary Broberg,	Charles and Lizzie
	28. ——— Finborg,	Alex and Hilda
	28. Edward Emmett Crowley,	Peter and Mary
	28. ——— Bietzel,	Louis and Mary
	28. Stillborn.	
	29. Harold Francis McNeil	John R. and Katherine
	29. Annie Halumiere,	Joseph and Eva
	29. Elizabeth McDonald,	George and Catherine
	30. Helen Louise McCarthy,	James and Agnes
	30. ——— Lancisi,	Gurlio and Mary
	30. Frank Vinton Pierce,	Dexter V. and Annie E.
	30. Mark Lowell Read,	Mark L. and Edith B.
Dec.	3. Timothy E. McAuliffe,	Michael and Elizabeth
	3. Elizabeth Brigham Pratt,	Herbert and Alice G.
	3. John Dean McKnight,	John and Catherine M.
	3. Charles F. Barton,	James and Ellen
	5. Daniel Danahy,	Daniel and Nora
	5. Marion Helen Petterson,	Jacob and Alice M.
	6. Robert Neil LaCroix,	Alfred J. and Nellie
	6. Edith Harlbeck,	John and Annie
	6. Walter Raleigh,	Alexander and Grace
	6. Evelyn Frances Besgren,	Francis and Adeline

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
Dec.	7. William Kendrick Hale,	William and Mary
	8. Mary Catherine Walsh,	Edward W. and Margaret
	8. Otis Clapp Angier,	Edward and Gertrude
	8. Georgie M. Wells,	Arthur E. and Nellie M.
	9. Percy Twombly,	Jonathan and Annie
	9. ———— McKenzie,	Malcolm and Annie
	10. ———— Sutherland,	John A. and Annie B.
	10. ———— Poutney,	William H. and Lillian
	11. Stillborn.	
	12. Margaret Agnes Gray,	Richard and Mary A.
	14. Mildred Archibald,	Joseph H. and Lizzie
	14. ———— Rawson,	Edwin F. and Elizabeth B.
	15. Eugene F. Sullivan,	John and Nellie
	15. Eva Edward Matson,	Samuel and Louisa
	16. Emma A. Kerr,	Alexander and Emma
	16. ———— Nelson,	Carl J. and Selma A.
	16. Jeanette Maud Shay,	Ernest M. and Abbie M.
	17. ———— Shaw,	Benjamin and Julia
	17. Estelle Dufour,	Frank and Camilia
	17. Mary M. MacDonald,	James and Flora
	17. Reynold Sciaresca,	Benjamin and Julia
	19. Telic Paonlucci,	Sabratore and Barbara
	20. Michael E. Crowley.	John and Margaret
	20. Mary C. Baptista,	Antonio and Sarah
	20. ———— Richards,	Halford and Jessie
	21. Johanna Ward,	William and Catharine
	21. Annie Isabelle Olson,	Oscar and Anna
	22. Thelma Turner,	Alfred F. and Mary A.
	22. Lillian A. Whiton,	Francis H. and Lillie C.
	23. ———— De Anio,	Cardiano and Lucretia
	23. ———— Cummings,	William F. and Cordelia
	23. Joseph A. Dasha, Jr.,	Joseph A. and Ellen L.
	24. Marion M. Edwards,	H. P. and Lutie K.
	24. Henry F. Dolan,	Martin and Mary
	25. Maud Martelle,	Dello and Lillie
	25. ———— Thurston,	Elmer E. and Ruth E.
	25. Camilla N. Purpura,	Augustine and Rosa
	25. Gordon Stanley Troup,	Sangster and Annie M.
	26. ———— Coletti,	Cataldo and Mary
	26. Lempi J. Hakola,	John and Hilma
	26. John Mullen,	Cornelius and Lizzie
	26. Elmer Hildcgard,	Wanoes and Frances
	27. Madeline A. Meehan,	Walter J. and Alice M.
	27. John Gordon McDonald,	John A. and Susan
	28. Peter Rizzi,	John and Rosie
	29. ———— Lyons,	Edward S. and Effie E. B.
	30. Lundquist,	John and Anna
	31. Elizabeth Keating,	Daniel J. and Mary
	31. Loretta B. Smollett,	George and Margaret

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
Dec. 31.	Geneveve Stewart,	John H. and Annie M.
31.	William Faireloth,	William and Delia

BORN IN OTHER PLACES, RECORDED IN QUINCY.

DATE.	NAME AND PLACE OF BIRTH.	PARENTS.
Jan. 3.	Hilda M. Korlora, at Finland,	John and Theresa
16.	John E. Drake, at Boston,	David J. and Lizzie M.
17.	Harold F. Holland, at Boston,	Philip and Annie
Feb. 8.	Carlo Fede, at Boston,	Ginseppe and Filomena
27.	Catherine Hennessey, at Boston,	Frank and Catherine
Mar. 21.	Joseph C. Mallon, at Stony Creek, Conn.,	John T. and Catharine
April 5.	Annie K. Schlager, at Woods Hole,	Michael and Carolina
9.	Edith Cullen, at East Boston,	John F. and Johanna J.
13.	Joseph Clevera, at Barre, Vt.,	Frank and Regina
13.	Louise Clevera, at Barre, Vt.,	Frank and Regina
15.	Harry C. Kalo, at Boston,	Dave and Sarah
26.	Karl W. Sidelinger, at Melrose,	William F. and Mary A.
27.	Viola G. Bailey, at Roxbury.	Chauncey R. and Katherine L.
May 18.	Alburi Dellarocea, at Boston,	Antonio and Maria G.
June 19.	Owen T. Whitney, at Vermont,	George O. and Matilda
30.	Marie Landie, at Marlboro, N. H.,	John S. and Annie
July 5.	Catherine F. Gileoine, at Dorechester,	John and Elizabeth
12.	———— Linhie, at Finland,	Carl and ————
Aug. 5.	Marion O. Gordon, at Milton,	Harry E. and Ida R.
Sept. 18.	Mabel Benedict, at Fitchburg,	William H. and Ida
27.	Annie E. Clark, at Roxbury,	George H. and Mary E.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN QUINCY, 1899.

Jan.	2.	John G. Miller and Katherine P. Shuman both of Quincy.
	3.	Harry E. Winslow and Jennie C. Ellis both of Quincy.
	4.	Ernest A. Hicks of Brookline, Mass., and Mae A. Lincoln of Quincy.
	7.	Benjamin Bovin and Nellie Hartley both of Quincy.
	7.	Fenelle Seppala and Fanny Luato, both of Quincy.
	8.	James H. Harvey of Brockton, Mass., and Maria (Prosser) Chubuck of Quincy.
	9.	William J. Houlihan of Quincy and Helena A. McCarthy of Middleboro, Mass.,
	10.	Frank Q. Fruth of Quincy and Scholastika Kummel of Somerville.
	11.	Thomas Neweombe and Emma (Hitchens) Andrew both of Quincy.
	12.	James M. Barnes and Gertrude A. Gould both of Quincy.
	14.	Jacob L. Jacobson and Alma Augusta Borg both of Quincy.
	18.	Frank P. McNally of Quincy and Annie E. Flemming of Boston.
	21.	William R. Lofgren and Augusta Petterson both of Quincy.
	26.	Robert T. Johnson and Edna L. Morton both of Quincy.
Feb.	1.	Daniel Long of Brockton and Margaret E. Horrigan of Quincy.
	1.	Samuel Tite and Nellie M. Kelly both of Quincy.
	6.	David J. Curney of Quincy and Hattie M. Thibodeau of Weymouth.
	11.	John J. N. Foley of Quincy and Catherine E. Crosse of Weymouth.
	13.	Godfrey J. Raymond of Quincy and Rosie Hubert of Fall River.

- Feb. 14. Henry F. Tilden and Abbie L. Curtis both of Quincy.
 16. Wallace S. Reynolds and Evona M. Morse both of Randolph.
 17. William F. Prescott and Anna M. Robinson both of Quincy.
 18. Gustaf A. Gustafson and Hulde S. Swanson both of Quincy.
 21. William H. Smith and Agnes Kennedy both of Quincy.
 21. James Birnie and Margaret O'Neil both of Quincy.
 22. Ernest M. Shay and Abbie M. Simmons both of Quincy.
 24. Pehr A. Bergren and Amanda Hansson both of Quincy.
 26. Edgar L. Prince and Florence M. Monroe both of Quincy.
- Mar. 8. Jacob Peterson and Alice M. McLean both of Quincy.
 13. Charles J. Anderson of Cambridge and Emelia Granfors of Quincy.
 18. Victor Johnson and Olga Anderson both of Quincy.
 18. Jakob Niemi and Mary Maki both of Quincy.
 22. Charles W. Purdy and Elizabeth A. McIntosh both of Quincy.
 22. Millidge LeCain and Lottie M. Brown both of Quincy.
 26. Mortimer A. Dill of Quincy and Maud L. Cummings of Boston.
- April 3. Robert J. Williams, Jr., and Margaret A. Minnihan both of Quincy.
 4. John Kelly and Cora B. Holmes both of Quincy.
 4. Alfred Luard and Grace E. Lord both of Quincy.
 5. Timothy J. Connor of Quincy and Catherine E. Cushing of Weymouth.
 6. John D. McKenzie and Bella Nicholson both of Quincy.
 11. George A. Cahill and Annie M. Dunphey both of Quincy.
 15. Carl F. Fredrickson and Margareta W. Bergman both of Quincy.
 18. Albert D. Kingsley and Betsey Ward both of Quincy.
 19. Charles S. Irving of Boston and Carrie E. Geer of Quincy.
 19. Robert G. Burke of Quincy and Julia B. McDermott of Boston.
 26. Daniel Collins and Catherine Donovan both of Quincy.
 26. John F. Lordan of Malden, Mass., and Mary A. Creed of Quincy.
 26. Elphege Messier of Manchester, N. H. and Nellie Trepanier of Quincy.
 26. Charles D. Fostello and Mary F. Dunn both of Quincy.
 26. Charles C. Long of Chelsea, Mass., and Jennie S. Howie of Quincy.
 27. George W. Imlay and Hannah J. Hughes both of Quincy.
- May 3. Frederick W. Williams and Elizabeth C. Litchfield both of Quincy.
 6. Johan A. Haapaniemi of Quincy and Maria S. Hietala of Fitchburg.
 11. Patrick J. Fitzgerald and Josephine Geddes both of Quincy.
 11. Patrick Flaherty of Quincy and Ellen Forde of Boston.
 13. Andrew Johnson and Cecilia M. Christianison both of Quincy.
 23. Ephraim P. Choiniere of Bristol, Conn., and Jennie Dufour of Quincy.
 25. James W. Fletcher and Flora E. Roberson both of Quincy.
 31. Andrew C. Woodward and Louise F. (Payne) Herren both of Quincy.
- June 1. William A. Thomson and Mary J. Dockendorff both of Quincy.
 5. Herbert H. Newcomb and Helen A. Spearwater both of Quincy.
 7. James W. McFadden and Balinda A. Kilawee both of Quincy.
 7. Timothy F. Callahan of Quincy and Mary C. F. Murphy of Boston.
 7. Charles N. Croke and Elizabeth F. Crabbe both of Quincy.
 7. Henry L. Kincaide and Grace W. Pettengill both of Quincy.
 7. James B. Geddes and Harriet L. Phelan both of Quincy.

- June 14. William A. Bavin of Quincy and Ellen T. Quigley of Cambridgeport.
 14. Herbert F. Tucker and Alice M. Jilbert both of Quincy.
 14. Hugh A. Gilis and Annie Murcheson both of Quincy.
 14. Benjamin F. Macomber of Quincy and Frances A. Magee of Boston.
 14. George P. Berry of Quincy and Joanna L. Gallagher of Milton.
 14. Martin Niland and Angelne Vahey both of Quincy.
 14. Charles F. Twiss of North Tewksbury, Mass., and Fanny L. Coles of Quincy.
 14. Thomas B. Blodgett of Fitzwilliam, N. H., and Elizabeth (Gale) Willard of Quincy.
 15. Kaarlo Hanrulo and Anna L. Luama both of Quincy.
 15. Otto Gelotte and Ida M. Petterson both of Quincy.
 19. William G. Burns and Maria J. Barrett both of Quincy.
 21. Joshua Brown, Jr., of Quincy and Catherine K. Hollinshead of Braintree.
 21. William E. Costello of Boston and Margaret A. McNally of Quincy.
 27. Jeremiah Muse and Mary E. (Aberboyne) Muse both of Quincy.
 27. John G. Rutherford of Woburn and Mary J. Thompson of Quincy.
 28. James S. Gallagher of Milton and Margaret A. Callahan of Quincy.
 28. Daniel W. Dawson and Julia B. Campbell both of Quincy.
 28. John J. Shaughnessy of Boston and Katherine F. Kerins of Quincy.
 28. Michael J. Doyle and Ellen A. Sullivan both of Quincy.
 28. Joseph D. Griffin of Quincy and Hannah J. Cavanagh of Boston.
 28. George A. McDonald and Catherine F. Kelly both of Quincy.
 29. William W. Jenness and Ella A. Becker both of Quincy.
- July 1. August C. Mangs and Matildá Carlhewichsdochterguhnes both of Quincy.
 1. William S. Smith and Flora McKenzie both of Quincy.
 3. Natale Bizzozero and Caterina Verdelli both of Quincy.
 5. John W. Simons of Quincy and Pauline J. Wagner of Fall River, Mass.
 10. Harry W. McCabe and Clara B. Baker both of Quincy.
 12. Walter Fowler of Troy, N. H., and Joan Middleton of Quincy.
 19. James C. Tinney and Elizabeth McKay both of Quincy.
 20. Edward A. Myatte and Isabella M. Ryan both of Quincy.
 21. Andrew Wilcox and Rhoda Court both of Detroit, Mich.
 24. John H. Conrey of Quincy and Annie Burns of Lawrence, Mass.
 26. Michael T. Sullivan and Eleanor G. Roche both of Quincy.
 27. David R. Coles and Annie J. (Adams) Blaisdell both of Quincy.
- Aug. 1. Orra P. K. Horsman of East Braintree and Effie E. (Wakham) Wilson of Quincy.
 2. Roscoe W. Johnson and Luella G. Brown both of Quincy.
 2. Jeremiah Hallinan of Brockton and Mary E. Fitzgerald of Quincy.
 9. John F. Kelliher of Holbrook, Mass., and Mary E. Mischler of Quincy.
 9. John F. Maloney and Mary Brennan both of Quincy.
 12. Matti T. Rintamaki and Ida U. Penttila both of Quincy.
 12. Herbert A. Morton of Quincy and Mary D. French of Conway, N. H.
 13. Robert S. McLean of Quincy and Gertrude M. Thayer of Boston.
 19. Samuel Haapaniemi and Lise Haantala both of Quincy.
 19. Dennis McCarthy and Catherine Cain both of Quincy.
 22. Samuel Castleman and Sarah Lubarsky both of Quincy.

- Aug. 24. Frank A. Davis of Boston and Mary A. Browne of Quincy.
 26. Charles M. Cooper of East Bowdoinham, Me., and Nellie E. Burnell
 of East Sebago, Me.
 27. Sylvester Teeri and Sanna L. Hiidenriemi both of Quincy.
 28. Joseph Connelly and Theresa Galvin both of Quincy.
 30. John A. Skogberg and Sofia Rinta both of Quincy.
- Sept. 5. Edward Murphy of Boston and Abbie M. O'Connell of Quincy.
 9. William T. Cullen of Boston and Catherine Callahan of Quincy.
 10. John Swithin and Annie S. Watts both of Quincy.
 11. Martin H. McConnell of Quincy and Mamie A. Hogan of Pomfret, Ct.
 12. John M. Kelliher and Elizabeth J. Beard both of Quincy.
 14. Henry Farrer and Christie McLennan both of Quincy.
 14. Malcolm McLeod and Mary Giles both of Quincy.
 14. Albert M. Blood of Groton and Agnes A. Jennings of Somerville, Mass.
 16. Carl A. Carlson and Alma M. Carlson both of Quincy.
 19. John C. Carley and Margaret A. Dinegan both of Quincy.
 20. Thomas T. Morris and Mary Evans both of Quincy.
 20. Edmund A. Shea and Margaret McCormick both of Quincy.
 21. Arthur W. Ryder and Ellen M. McPhail both of Quincy.
 21. Robert M. Thompson and Henrietta Lawry both of Quincy.
 24. Frederick Mueller and Ella F. Hayden both of Providence, R. I.
 24. Charles McKenzie, Jr., and Mary Taylor both of Quincy.
 25. William C. Wales and Blanche E. Paret both of Quincy.
 26. Carl A. Carlson and Maria Tjengrall both of Quincy.
 27. William A. Macduff of Everett, Mass., and Mary McLeod of Quincy.
 27. Charles A. Mattson and Alina K. Hoglund both of Quincy.
 27. Daniel J. McNeece of Quincy and Mary M. Crowley of Boston.
 28. Richard T. Clark and Ana Medlin both of Quincy.
 28. Cyrus K. Wells and Louisa J. Chadbourne both of Lynn.
 28. Edward F. Brown and Ola P. Whittier both of Quincy.
 28. Gustaf E. Livendale and Ellen M. Johnson both of Quincy.
 29. Karl Johnson and Selma Johnson both of Quincy.
- Oct. 2. Winthrop T. Case of Boston and Cynthia G. Souther of Quincy.
 2. Joseph A. Earle and Mary Travers both of Quincy.
 3. Patrick F. Flaherty and Mary G. Mahoney both of Quincy.
 4. Edwin F. Wilmot of Quincy and Mary E. Whitney of Jefferson, Mass.
 4. Harry E. Russell of Quincy and Ethel G. Pitkin of Braintree, Mass.
 4. Joseph P. Dufour of Taunton and Mary E. Savoie of Quincy.
 11. Henry C. Dewey and Sarah E. Lord both of Quincy.
 12. Francisco Vergobbi and Anita Checchi both of Quincy.
 15. John J. Delory and Evangeline Levangie both of Quincy.
 16. Samuel E. Williams and Mary A. McLean both of Quincy.
 18. John M. L. Ramseyer of Boston and Rosanna M. Bill of Quincy.
 18. John D. Evans and Lucy Kain both of Quincy.
 18. Maurice T. Cantfill and Mattie J. Hardwick both of Quincy.
 18. Charles J. Riley of Quincy and Annie McLaughlin of Milton.
 18. Wilbur H. Plympton of Bridgeport, Conn., and Augusta S. Hamilton
 of Shrewsbury, Mass.
 21. Anton W. Hermanson and Olivia C. Dusey both of Quincy.
 21. John F. Hollinder and Carin Nilson both of Quincy.

- Oct. 25. Harry A. Faircloth of Quincy and Ethell Connell of Hyde Park, Mass.
 25. Arthur W. Harris and Sadie M. Jones both of Quincy.
 25. Arthur R. Fitts of Quincy and Bertha F. Rice of Waterford, Me.
 25. Johan P. A. Larsson and Edla A. C. Petterson both of Quincy.
 26. Henry Worsdell and Lily E. Medlin both of Quincy.
 26. Walter J. Anderson and Eva Ferguson both of Quincy.
 26. Albert N. Birse and Maud E. Lapham both of Quincy.
 28. Giulo Brogioli and Maria Tapalla both of Quincy.
 31. Harlan E. Clark of Cambridge and Matilda Nelson of Quincy.
- Nov. 1. Patrick O. Carroll of Boston and Josephine L. Leclaire of Quincy.
 1. Christian M. Jensen of Quincy and Eliza A. Burnett of Boston.
 1. James S. Corbin and Alice H. Downs both of Salisbury.
 4. August N. Weeden and Selina A. Hedrall both of Quincy.
 5. Leonard Q. Gay and Catherine Sullivan both of Stoughton.
 8. Patrick J. Fay of Quincy and Nellie T. Condon of Milton.
 9. Everett V. Hardwick and Grace A. Blanchard both of Quincy.
 11. John A. Weeden and Ellen J. Fornell both of Quincy.
 11. Bion H. Lowe and Eva E. (Carver) Sinclair both of Boston.
 14. Robert E. Jones of Quincy and Maria E. Morris of Lowell.
 15. Stanford Hayden of Quincy and Ada M. Dimock of Boston.
 15. Henry J. Scanlan and Emily J. Smith both of Quincy.
 15. Samuel Burchill of Quincy and Catherine Donovan of Boston.
 15. John P. Bigelow, Jr., of Quincy and Ruby C. Neal of Braintree.
 22. Frederick B. Jacobs and Marguerite C. Reece both of Quincy.
 22. James F. Kelley and Catherine J. Reardon both of Quincy.
 27. John Robertson and Emily A. Ellard both of Quincy.
 27. Joel H. Pillsbury of St. Augustine, Fla., and Amelia F. Hall of Quincy.
 27. John J. Quinn of Boston and Adeline McGonigle of Quincy.
 28. John Storey and Mary A. Phillips both of Quincy.
 29. Michael J. Greaney of Quincy and Margaret F. Malloy of Boston.
 29. Jeremiah J. Sullivan of Quincy and Julia Mahoney of Boston.
 29. Thomas Ross and Annie Stewart both of Quincy.
 29. Herbert S. Mackay of Quincy and Jennie E. Follins of Milton.
 29. Albert E. Stephenson and Lucy H. Osborne both of Quincy.
 29. Daniel F. Fitzgerald of Quincy and Mary G. Riley of Haverhill.
 29. John C. Sherlin and Helen C. Smith both of Quincy.
 29. Henry S. Smith and Elizabeth G. Lycett both of Quincy.
 29. William J. DeCost of Boston and Florence I. Pitts of Quincy.
 20. Primo Capiferri and Angeline A. Capacioli both of Quincy.
 29. Daniel F. Shea of Quincy and Ida M. Brown of Lexington, Mass.
- Dec. 8. Delancy M. Gesner of Boston and Annie C. Dunlap of Quincy.
 9. Olaf Anderson and Anna M. Olson both of Quincy.
 10. John J. Durham of Canton and Eleanor L. D. Harris of Quincy.
 16. Harry F. French of Hingham and Lutie W. Litchfield of Weymouth.
 20. Wallace W. Emery of Walla Walla, Idaho, and Anna L. (Hcald) Bennett of Quincy.
 20. Charles Bishop of Quincy and Amy McVane of Braintree, Mass.
 22. Alfred L. Pickard and Helen A. Condon both of Quincy,
 23. Agosto Sanguinetti and Emma Maggiani both of Quincy.

- Dec. 24. Charles S. Jose and Charlotte A. (Joy) Foss both of Quiney.
 25. Seth W. Fiske of Quiney and Sadie P. Collins of Winthrop, Maine.
 26. Donald McKinnon and Mary McCannell both of Quiney.
 26. Evart W. Adams of Colorado Springs and Anna P. Putnam of
 Danvers, Mass.
 28. Everett H. Higgins and Ethel M. DeMary both of Quincy.

DEATHS RECORDED IN 1899.

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.		
		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Jan.	1. Chloe L. Tower,	70	3	10
	2. Michael Donahue,	0	8	21
	3. Mary S. Brughera,	0	0	2
	5. Susan Jones,	84	9	15
	6. George A. Beard,	74	7	0
	7. Mary G. McDonough,	2	1	28
	7. Joseph H. Belangie,	2	11	25
	7. Cicely Milan,	72	0	0
	7. Alonzo Jones,	62	10	0
	8. Abigail B. Cranc,	73	3	0
	8. Edward T. Robinson,	56	4	27
	11. John E. Schatzl, Jr.,	27	3	16
	11. Ronald McEachern,	32	6	26
	11. Edna S. Keast,	0	11	10
	12. Thomas Henry,	0	8	0
	12. Jesse S. Newcomb,	72	11	12
	13. John Hughes,	0	0	1
	13. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	13. Anna R. Lunggren,	89	4	9
	14. Jennie Webber,	0	2	14
	14. John A. Turner,	50	5	16
	15. Mildred Collins,	3	8	22
	15. Patrick Colbert,	59	0	0
	16. Michael Mullancy,	38	0	0
	16. Illegitimate,	0	6	20
	18. Lela E. Kennedy,	27	1	0
	18. Howard E. Pratt,	0	3	15
	18. ——— Pearce,	0	1	0
	18. Robert Clarke,	70	7	26
	19. Saima M. Mattson,	0	0	16
	20. Kittie F. Whitmarsh,	28	11	20
	21. Charles O. Brackett,	64	1	7
	23. Annie E. Gordon,	0	8	6
	23. James E. Flaherty,	2	0	4
	23. Frank Eekl,	0	10	20
	23. William Reynolds,	67	0	0
	25. George A. Sherman,	33	7	16
	25. Mary M. Spear,	72	0	10

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		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Jan.	25. Margaret W. Newcomb,	78	8	27
	27. Catherine Morley,	32	3	15
	28. Martha P. Hall,	92	11	25
	28. John Harmon,	75	1	12
	29. Jones Howe,	79	9	23
	29. James P. Fitzgerald,	22	3	5
	29. Mehitable N. Johnson,	66	8	26
	31. Catherine D. Howe,	83	7	2
Feb.	2. Jennie M. H. Niemi,	0	1	23
	2. Sarah J. Johnson,	80	3	2
	3. Percy E. Veal,	0	7	25
	3. Stanley Medlin,	0	4	18
	3. Joseph N. Page,	24	5	4
	4. Harriet B. Folsom,	77	3	14
	5. Mary J. Cleverly,	52	0	0
	8. Catherine Schlager,	0	2	22
	8. Grace R. Morris,	3	10	19
	9. Michael Keene,	79	4	10
	11. James Hardy,	62	0	0
	11. William G. Lavers,	74	9	4
	11. Elizabeth O'Connell,	0	11	0
	12. Clarence A. Hunt,	52	6	2
	15. Leonard H. Stiles,	28	11	3
	16. Olwen Roberts,	2	4	26
	17. Charles R. Martin,	1	10	27
	17. Mary A. Whicher,	85	0	1
	18. Eden Ford,	84	0	0
	18. Nettie L. Packard,	30	0	0
	19. Stillborn.	0	0	0
	20. Ruth Cook,	1	8	0
	21. Stillborn.	0	0	0
	21. Mary A. Crowley,	1	6	20
	24. William Evans,	26	5	10
	24. Mary Hayes,	58	0	0
	25. Hosea Tarbell,	74	4	14
	27. Jessie Walls,	30	10	5
	27. Edward Saville,	0	1	20
	27. George W. Bates,	29	1	6
	28. Sisilia F. Mattson,	0	0	7
Mar.	1. Grace M. Earley,	0	8	26
	1. James E. Bagley,	31	9	6
	1. Helen M. Poland,	0	6	27
	1. Francis J. Kavanagh,	0	4	22
	2. Benjamin F. Mead,	69	0	12
	3. Henry Curtis,	71	2	16
	5. Caleb F. Billings,	79	4	14
	6. James G. Quigley,	1	3	6
	7. John C. Barry,	55	0	0

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		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
March	9. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	11. Margaret Price,	72	0	0
	11. Margaret Butler,	53	0	0
	13. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	13. Sadie L. Rich,	39	7	0
	16. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	17. Julia Dempsey,	32	0	0
	18. Edmund Popc,	59	11	7
	19. John J. McDonald,	21	11	19
	23. ——— Hinchon,	0	0	1
	24. Helen G. Frazer,	0	6	6
	24. Augusta L. Moreton,	56	8	21
	25. James A. Lcary,	5	0	0
	26. Dennis T. Ford,	52	0	0
	27. Johanna McEachern,	1	2	27
	28. Dennis Linnehan,	74	0	0
	30. Ethel L. Grant,	8	1	29
	31. Stillborn,	0	0	0
April	4. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	4. Horace W. Carver,	12	10	21
	5. Edward A. Barnard,	85	2	23
	8. Jeremiah J. Corcoran,	27	5	0
	8. Ida F. Orr,	37	2	27
	10. Edmund F. C. Chini,	0	5	27
	10. Charlotte M. King,	63	0	18
	11. Valentina Picini,	0	4	21
	12. John A. Malcolm,	45	9	28
	12. Murto Moynihan,	55	0	0
	13. Auguste Lenciaux,	34	0	0
	13. Mary H. McDonnell,	80	0	0
	13. Louis M. Kelley,	28	10	22
	14. Minnie M. Poland,	10	7	2
	14. Ledocia N. Griggs,	92	6	0
	16. James Quigley,	41	0	0
	17. Paul T. Linden,	0	4	20
	20. Hubert W. Girouard,	0	2	0
	20. James F. Riley,	0	0	2
	23. Thomas J. Jones,	33	2	0
	24. Helen E. Higgins,	31	11	0
	27. Patrick J. Cunniff,	45	0	14
	29. Arthur Austin,	50	0	0
	29. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	30. Joseph Sherag,	36	0	0
May	3. Catherine Raycroft,	69	0	0
	3. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	4. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	4. Simeon Dell,	73	11	17
	4. Kathrene O. Adams,	30	11	5

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		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
May.	4. William S. King,	72	8	2
	5. Margaret Marr,	0	11	17
	6. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	7. Robert W. Green,	2	0	0
	12. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	13. George F. Arnold,	74	2	18
	14. James Dalton,	32	0	0
	15. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	15. George Chrystall,	34	0	0
	18. Edward J. Colbert,	35	1	1
	20. Lucy P. Perry,	88	6	2
	23. Ellen Lyons,	69	10	13
	24. Benjamin H. Kingsley,	28	11	12
	25. Annie C. McLeod,	41	0	0
	26. Sallie Hopkins,	20	1	25
	27. Carlo A. Della Chiesa,	1	1	4
	27. John Flynn,	50	0	0
	28. Martin H. Cook,	0	0	4
	29. Ralph E. Turner,	2	0	20
	30. Marguerite A. Meehan,	0	2	20
	31. Luke J. Coyle,	7	7	0
	31. Arthur Di Bona,	0	2	6
June	1. Elizabeth Barry,	40	0	0
	1. Robert McIntire, Jr.,	0	1	18
	2. Alexander Gourlay,	60	0	0
	5. Alfred Luard,	67	4	6
	5. John J. Hanlon,	1	9	3
	5. Nelson V. Titus,	56	5	24
	6. Josephine M. Monti,	0	2	14
	6. Helen M. Chase,	0	9	12
	6. Lucy A. Newcomb,	92	6	0
	9. Catherine Madden,	83	0	0
	9. Mary J. McKinnon,	3	10	17
	9. William Mattson,	28	0	0
	9. T. Henry Wason,	62	1	17
	10. William H. Grady,	35	0	0
	10. Lewis F. Griffiths,	0	4	12
	11. George H. Locke,	83	9	13
	12. William R. Owens,	31	8	7
	16. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	16. Adeline S. Thurber,	79	11	9
	18. Karl Skog,	25	0	0
	19. Olive S. Knowlton,	0	0	12
	19. John Crane,	80	7	11
	19. Elizabeth B. Marsh,	77	6	17
	20. Richard Powers,	19	2	28
	20. Lempi M. Erickson,	0	10	0
	21. James Behan,	60	0	0

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		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
June	21. Mary A. Thayer,	76	5	10
	23. Jeremiah Ford,	58	0	0
	23. Margaret Jones,	0	9	19
	24. Thomas McDonnell,	48	4	16
	29. James Maloney,	0	0	1
July	29. Alexander Smith,	76	5	3
	1. John E. Moynihan,	22	6	17
	2. Henry V. Ring,	24	3	24
	3. Roderick McDougal,	5	11	6
	4. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	5. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	5. Mabel McEachern,	0	5	5
	6. Joseph Callahan,	17	4	18
	6. Margaret A. Quigley,	27	10	0
	9. Robina McNaughton,	34	5	3
	10. Margaret Montague,	2	3	0
	16. Emelia G. Anderson,	27	0	0
	18. Catherine A. Bryan,	16	8	24
	19. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	20. Joseph J. Behan,	14	11	5
	20. Josephine Lyons,	0	6	6
	22. Juliet Tribou,	73	5	5
	22. Mary E. Rogers,	25	7	15
	23. Nunzio Scolamiro,	0	7	17
	24. Joseph Lyons,	0	6	9
	24. William W. Osburne,	0	5	2
	24. Eilen Johnson,	0	0	8
	24. Katie A. Douglass,	9	9	10
	25. Alice W. Macullar,	0	7	11
	25. Allen Johnson,	63	0	0
	25. Kathleen L. Dalton,	0	9	12
	26. William Birnie,	54	1	27
	28. Flora A. McKay,	0	4	22
	28. Patrick Finley,	52	0	0
	28. John V. Hunt,	74	10	10
	29. James Sugrue	0	6	15
	29. James Reynolds,	0	1	24
	30. Emlie E. Mattson,	0	9	0
	30. Ralph Webster,	0	5	16
	30. Esther F. Hall,	23	6	11
	30. Mary Hobart,	81	10	0
	31. Harry Addison,	0	0	24
	31. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	31. Nettie S. Miller,	43	7	12
	31. Stillborn,	0	0	0
Aug.	1. Ellen C. Drohan,	0	10	26
	1. Michele Giglio,	0	0	14
	3. John H. Gilbert,	72	8	22

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		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Aug.	4. Richard De La Rocco,	0	2	15
	4. John L. Gleeson,	54	0	0
	5. Mary Murphy,	48	0	0
	5. Mary A. Vergobbi,	0	2	7
	5. Dorothy M. Judkins,	1	2	14
	7. Alma Bouchard,	11	8	0
	7. Genevieve G. Drummcy,	1	1	2
	8. Nellie Carroll,	22	10	26
	9. Harriet R. Dewson,	59	11	19
	10. David Melquist,	1	0	21
	12. Gabriel Annala,	0	0	23
	12. Frederick W. Miller,	27	3	21
	12. Fred Lemieux,	0	8	0
	15. James T. Cuffe,	33	9	11
	15. Eugene Keniley,	73	5	0
	16. Lillian B. Caddy,	0	10	27
	17. George T. McLaughlin,	0	8	0
	17. George H. Malinquist,	1	2	3
	17. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	17. John E. E. Hagberg,	1	8	15
	19. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	19. John W. Jellow,	0	6	10
	19. James Murdock,	52	6	17
	20. Henry C. Westwood,	30	0	0
	20. Edward E. Allen,	38	2	0
	21. Henry W. Cardarelli,	0	11	9
	22. Bryantha R. Webb,	85	10	9
	23. Alice Horigan,	0	5	21
	24. Yalmar E. Bync,	0	2	21
	24. Herman W. Rietzel,	0	8	12
	24. William Ferritor,	0	5	0
	25. Annie U. Tite,	0	3	0
	26. Gladis V. Bisson,	0	7	1
	26. Minnie Soule,	25	4	3
	27. Elizabeth R. Lincoln,	81	8	16
	27. George G. Bell,	12	3	5
	28. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	28. Noah C. Stetson,	68	4	4
	28. Amelia Malnati,	77	0	0
	28. Mary E. Batts,	1	4	24
	28. Michael Donovan,	55	0	0
	30. Anna J. McAuliffe,	0	11	15
	31. David P. Mcancy,	21	6	23
Sept.	1. Richard T. Cassidy,	26	0	12
	1. Bartholomew J. Tymon,	40	0	0
	1. Lena Corbett,	0	4	1
	1. Joseph A. Swanson,	33	3	3
	2. Otto W. Schaetzl,	3	4	11

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.		
		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Sept.	3. James McDonald,	0	5	9
	3. Mary E. Moran,	43	5	8
	3. William B. Johnson,	0	11	13
	6. John Kane,	83	0	0
	7. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	7. Annie M. Byron,	0	5	15
	8. Thomas Kelly,	74	1	0
	10. Christina M. Livendale,	65	1	20
	10. Charles E. Tirrell,	43	3	12
	11. Henry White,	75	4	22
	12. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	13. George H. S. Soule, Jr.,	0	0	24
	13. Catherine F. Gilcoine,	0	2	8
	15. Esther E. Hall,	0	1	18
	15. Thomas S. Barter,	79	2	11
	16. Francis A. E. Tate,	19	5	27
	17. Margaret J. Cuffe,	0	4	17
	19. Grace B. Nightingale,	0	2	15
	19. Ethel M. Bradley,	0	0	4
	23. Ellen A. Paquet,	0	11	14
	25. George Patch,	76	0	0
	25. Joseph Babine,	19	4	0
	28. Lewis A. LeBleu,	32	0	9
	28. Alice C. Good,	0	6	7
	30. Mary Queenan,	1	0	12
Oct.	1. Clarence S. Maxwell,	0	0	25
	1. Jane Owens,	87	4	4
	2. Michael Driscoll,	58	0	0
	2. Victor Olson,	23	0	0
	3. Hulda E. Nelson,	9	0	29
	3. Mabel E. Crawford,	1	2	8
	5. George Langton,	39	5	0
	7. William F. Farrington,	37	1	2
	7. Mary J. DeLue,	78	4	13
	10. Anton Olson,	26	0	0
	10. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	11. Mary F. Blaine,	0	2	0
	13. Ira O. Severance,	69	7	18
	14. Francis Clark,	1	8	16
	15. Stillborn.	0	0	0
	16. Josiah Medlin,	31	10	14
	17. Julia Crimmins,	2	1	25
	19. Carl Paavas,	40	0	0
	20. Augusta B. French,	77	1	2
	21. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	21. Stillborn,	0	0	0
	21. Clarence S. Pinel,	0	8	3
	22. Samuel D. Bosworth,	53	0	0

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.		
		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Oct.	24. Sarah V. Cleghorn,	60	3	2
	26. Daniel Ross,	83	7	0
	29. John J. Connelly, Jr.,	0	0	19
Nov.	1. Edith M. E. Anderson,	1	9	19
	4. Dande Calevro,	10	1	22
	4. Murdock McDougall,	44	10	1
	5. John Thompson,	50	0	0
	6. Flora Raymond,	1	7	2
	6. George A. Thomas,	2	8	14
	8. John Callahan,	69	7	0
	8. Francis A. Massey,	80	0	0
	10. Caroline W. Merritt,	91	0	22
	10. Joseph F. Berry,	71	11	14
	10. Thomas McGann,	72	0	0
	11. Sarah Allison,	71	10	11
	11. Charles V. Hanson,	55	2	12
	13. Francis S. Kelliher,	0	3	4
	16. Laura A. McDougall,	53	3	26
	18. Thomas McGrath,	75	0	0
	20. Rebecca L. Burke,	10	3	21
	21. Philomen McManus,	7	4	12
	22. J. Peter Lambert,	44	5	12
	25. Robert Campbell,	67	3	9
	26. Francenia A. Picard,	38	1	23
	26. Mary Moran,	40	0	0
	27. James J. Mahoney,	80	3	15
	27. Jennie Ross,	21	10	6
	28. Stillborn.	0	0	0
Dec.	1. J. Harvey Smith,	35	9	0
	3. Elizabeth C. MacDonald,	55	2	6
	4. Martin Nelson,	52	5	0
	5. Herbert W. Pitts,	2	10	22
	7. Kate Richards,	54	0	0
	9. Elizabeth A. Curtis,	71	0	9
	9. Peter J. Anderson,	50	0	0
	10. Julia A. Brooks,	62	2	22
	10. Unknown.	35	0	0
	10. John Monahan,	28	0	0
	10. Emeline Adams,	59	2	27
	11. Stillborn.	0	0	0
	11. Henry Blanchard,	67	10	5
	12. William Cullen,	60	0	0
	14. Henry J. Gore,	49	0	0
	15. Mary J. Hannon,	1	5	11
	16. Marion F. King,	0	5	23
	17. William McIntyre,	42	6	0
	18. Ida Nord,	15	6	1
	18. Lawrence Haynes,	2	0	0

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.		
		YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Dec. 18.	James A. Flowers,	0	7	9
18.	Catherine M. Grignon,	41	5	26
19.	Harold L. Myatt,	0	11	14
30.	Annie Delory,	59	0	0
23.	John Thompson,	63	7	29
22.	Ann Gerry,	84	0	0
23.	Edward Porter,	3	2	14
24.	Alessandri Terzo,	42	0	0
29.	Adaline D. Gilson,	74	8	25
29.	Bertha E. Tinney,	0	5	23
30.	Isaiah Cressey,	65	8	20
31.	Emily M. Garrity,	38	0	0
31.	Francis A. Cashman,	0	6	6

Election Returns.

VOTE AT STATE ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 1899.

	WARDS						TOTAL VOTE.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
			Pr.1.	Pr.2.	Pr.1.	Pr.2.	
GOVERNOR.							
Albert B. Coats of Beverly, P.,	7	0	6	3	2	8	43
W. Murray Crane of Dalton, R.,	362	189	166	168	71	141	1628
Robert Treat Paine, Jr., of Boston, D,	120	125	139	69	180	132	948
George R. Peare of Lynn, S. L. P.,	16	15	11	21	20	16	128
Winfield P. Porter of Newburyport, D. S. N. P.,	45	29	24	49	14	17	225
Blanks,	26	20	15	14	27	34	181
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.							
John L. Bates of Boston, R.,	363	190	170	172	70	157	1673
John H. Mack of North Adams, D.,	113	131	131	58	180	128	911
James H. Roberts of Cambridge, P.,	1	2	2	4	1	3	29
Isaac W. Skinner of Brockton, D. S. N. P.,	48	24	29	48	17	16	227
James S. Stevens of Boston, S. L. P.,	17	10	10	19	15	13	111
Blanks,	34	21	19	23	31	31	202
SECRETARY.							
Charles H. Bradley of Haverhill, D. S. N. P.,	45	30	25	39	20	19	225
					31	16	

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John B. Lewis, Jr., of Reading, P.,	11	0	4	4	3	8	10	8	48
Henry Lloyd of Boston, D.,	96	112	127	58	159	118	47	111	828
Frank McDonald of Stoneham, S. L. P.,	23	12	16	35	25	22	16	10	159
William M. Olim of Boston, R.,	355	191	158	156	69	130	374	170	1603
Blanks,	46	33	31	32	38	51	31	28	290

TREASURER.

Edward S. Bradford of Springfield, R.,	351	191	163	157	68	136	378	171	1615
Joseph J. Flynn of Lawrence, D.,	105	118	131	56	168	124	39	104	845
Herbert B. Griffin of Winthrop, P.,	1	1	2	5	0	6	10	6	31
Frederick A. Nagler of Springfield, S. L. P.,	22	12	12	22	21	15	17	6	127
Charles W. White of Winchester, D. S. N. P.,	41	25	27	47	20	17	27	22	226
Blanks,	56	31	26	37	37	50	38	34	309

AUDITOR.

Elbridge Gerry Brown of Brockton, D.,	97	120	124	57	168	124	56	106	852
Frank Albin Forstrom of Worcester, S. L. P.,	17	12	15	13	12	8	17	8	102
John W. Kimball of Fitchburg, R.,	352	188	157	156	61	138	369	173	1594
Angus McDonald of Boston, D. S. N. P.,	41	24	26	51	24	15	25	22	228
Franklin A. Palmer of Stockbridge,	6	2	3	4	2	4	9	7	37
Blanks,	63	32	36	43	47	59	33	27	340

ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Addison W. Barr of Worcester, D. S. N. P.,	44	28	29	51	22	19	29	23	245
Hosea M. Knowlton of New Bedford, R.,	363	196	168	156	70	140	381	174	1648
John H. Morrison of Lowell, D.,	94	112	119	56	162	118	43	111	815
Sidney Perley of Salem, P.,	2	0	2	3	1	2	10	5	25
Walter P. J. Skahan of New Bedford, S. L. P.,	15	12	14	16	18	14	15	8	112
Blanks,	58	30	29	42	41	55	31	22	308

VOTE AT THE STATE ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 1899—Continued.

COUNCILLOR, SECOND DISTRICT.

William W. Davis of Boston, R.,	378	201	181	192	76	159	397	179	1763
Thomas J. A. Johnson of Boston, D.,	132	137	148	86	193	143	73	135	1047
Blanks,	66	40	32	46	45	46	39	29	343

SENATOR, FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Robert C. Habberly of Hyde Park, P.,	14	7	10	20	5	11	18	37	122
Edwin C. Jenney of Hyde Park, D.,	162	150	150	105	206	160	88	109	1130
B. Herbert Woodsum of Braintree, R.,	338	181	161	150	61	120	367	168	1546
Blanks,	62	49	40	49	42	57	36	29	355

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT, FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Thomas F. Cain of Quincy, D.,	139	165	128	81	182	165	45	120	1025
Philip J. Halvosa of Quincy, D. S. N. P.,	110	74	123	139	84	93	43	31	697
William A. Jordan of Quincy, D.,	91	98	81	53	132	97	129	119	800
John A. Lamb of Quincy, D. S. N. P.,	78	47	54	87	33	40	37	31	407
Eben W. Sheppard of Quincy, R.,	290	157	141	95	64	88	287	155	1277
Eugene H. Sprague of Quincy, R.,	311	148	134	125	49	103	368	155	1393
Blanks,	133	67	61	68	84	110	108	75	706

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, NORFOLK.

Charles C. Sanderson of Dedham, D.,	116	143	136	78	197	137	75	122	1004
Edwin D. Wadsworth of Milton, R.,	370	192	179	184	70	155	382	175	1747
Blanks,	90	43	46	62	47	56	52	46	402

VOTE AT MUNICIPAL ELECTION, DECEMBER 5, 1899.

FOR MAYOR.	WARDS.								TOTAL
	1	2	3p1.	3p2.	4p1.	4p2.	5	6	VOTE.
Gustave B. Bates, Ward 1, D. S. N. P.,	52	36	35	60	15	31	43	26	298
John O. Hall, Ward 1, R.,	391	276	206	157	114	201	305	245	1895
Harrison A. Keith, Ward 2, D.,	290	215	181	153	256	213	168	160	1636
Blanks,	7	1	5	8	4	4	8	6	43

FOR COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE.

William E. Badger, Ward 4, R.,	449	276	198	219	162	261	386	236	2187
William W. Craig, Ward 4, D.,	174	172	169	101	203	168	68	137	1192
Thomas Curtis, Ward 3, D.,	190	185	206	103	205	152	73	134	1248
Victor J. Emery, Ward 5, D.,	168	171	143	81	193	151	171	138	1216
Richard R. Freeman, Ward 5, R.,	417	248	183	195	89	198	378	224	1932
Eugene N. Hultman, Ward 2, R.,	407	256	179	187	78	187	342	215	1851
James E. McDonald, Ward 4, D.,	170	162	159	99	242	174	53	128	1187
Harry S. Nicol, Ward 3, R.,	371	233	190	202	85	194	342	214	1831
John E. Poland, Ward 6, R.,	334	215	150	160	76	168	310	243	1656
Alexander W. Russell, Ward 3, D. S. N. P.,	71	56	63	111	18	46	55	30	450
Frederick W. Tirrell, Ward 1, D.,	248	212	160	95	189	137	64	121	1226
Blanks,	701	454	335	337	405	409	378	365	3384

VOTE AT MUNICIPAL ELECTION, DECEMBER 5, 1899.—Continued.

FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE—AT-LARGE, THREE YEARS.

Charles F. Merrick, Ward 6, D., R.,	486	343	270	257	235	284	402	308	2585
Philip Cook,	1								1
Blanks,	253	185	157	121	154	165	132	129	1296

LICENSE VOTE.

Yes,	254	199	163	155	190	163	80	184	1388
No,	429	294	238	198	166	253	417	218	2213
Blanks,	57	35	26	25	33	33	27	35	271

EIGHT HOURS VOTE.

Yes,	430	348	295	283	300	349	285	282	2572
No,	192	101	77	46	38	44	134	74	706
Blanks,	118	79	55	49	51	56	105	81	594

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COUNCILMEN FROM WARD ONE.

Peter M. Carlson, D. S. N. P.,	117
Harold B. Faxon, D.,	164
Henry M. Faxon, R.,	366
Henry B. Kittredge, R.,	302
Elisha Packard, R.,	441
William M. Packard, D. S. N. P.,	114
George H. Wilson, D.,	334
Blanks,	382

COUNCILMEN FROM WARD TWO.

George K. Carter, D. S. N. P.,	138
James F. Cleverly, D.,	193
George Crane, R.,	188
Henry S. Crane, R.,	174
William Kiernan, D.,	130
Arthur W. Newcomb, Rep. Cit., N. P., R.,	323
John W. Walsh, D.,	201
Blanks,	237

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FROM WARD FOUR.

	PRE. 1.	2.
Thomas J. Dion, R.,	178	297 475
Stephen B. Little, D.,	195	128 323
Blanks,	16	24 40

COUNCILMEN FROM WARD FIVE.

Charles M. Bryant, R.,	399
Hosea B. Johnson, D. S. N. P.,	110
Walter F. Nichols, R.,	366
Eugene F. DeNormandie, R.,	374
Blanks,	323

COUNCILMEN FROM WARD SIX.

Charles Alden, R.,	255
John A. Duggan, D.,	189
William G. Gasset, R.,	231
Walter P. Hill, R.,	217
Horatio N. Holbrook, D.,	118
Levi H. Turner, D.,	155
Blanks,	166

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FROM WARD SIX.

Frederic J. Peirce, D., R.,	326
Blanks,	111

COUNCILMEN FROM WARD THREE.

	PRE. 1.	2.
Daniel Desmond, Jr., D. S. N. P.,	81	70 151
Philip J. Halvosa, D. S. N. P.,	104	144 248
John L. Johnson, R.,	171	169 340
William A. Kelly, D.,	165	107 272
Daniel McLennan, R.,	152	150 302
Cornelius Moynihan, D.,	140	74 214
William Norrie, D. S. N. P.,	48	60 108
Thomas F. Shea, D.,	113	71 184
Thomas W. Smith, R.,	193	175 368
Blanks,	114	114 228

COUNCILMEN FROM WARD FOUR.

	PRE. 1.	2.
William H. Callahan, D.,	259	208 467
John Evans, R.,	74	123 197
James H. Elcock, D.,	256	208 464
Mayo P. Fuller, R.,	109	205 314
Thomas F. Hogan, D.,	243	185 428
Peter A. Lane, R.,	87	190 277
Blanks,	139	228 367

JURY LIST FOR 1900.

List of Jurors for 1900, prepared by the Registrars of Voters; posted for ten days, and then accepted by the City Council.

Adams, Herbert D., 267 Washington st., clerk.
 Alden, Frederick E., 19 Howard st., vanner.
 Ames, George, 7 Franklin st., plumber.
 Avery, John A., 8 River st., superintendent.
 Appleton, Frederick T., 2 Foster st., paper hanger.
 Babcock, Walter T., Whalley road, broker.
 Baker Charles T., 32 Safford st., bookkeeper.
 Barlow, Elisha J., Norfolk st., carpenter.
 Barry, Peter A., 58 Crescent st., blacksmith.
 Bass, E. W. Henry, 39 Granite st., superintendent.
 Baxter, Daniel W., 3 Phipps st., retired.
 Bean, George H., Atlantic st., salesman.
 Beckford, Edwin S., 130 Washington st., electrician.
 Bent, Isaac P., Cleverly's court, fish dealer.
 Bird, William M., 37 School st., clerk.
 Bigelow, John P., 37 Franklin st., clerk.
 Black, Alexander, 3 Glencoe pl., stone cutter.
 Blake, Welcome J., Payne st., blacksmith.
 Blanchard, Edward R., 150 Washington st., salesman.
 Brooks, George W., 72 Centre st., real estate.
 Burke, Thomas F., 66 Willard st., granite dealer.
 Burrell, Frank E., 166 Washington st., boot finisher.
 Burns, Michael, Payne st., granite dealer.
 Butler, Thomas M., Putnam st., boot maker.
 Buckley, Phineas, Flint st., iron moulder.
 Byron, John J., 33 Phipps st., laborer.
 Burke, Patrick P., Larry st., stone cutter.
 Badger, Fred L., 43 Crescent st., granite dealer.
 Barnes, Franklin, 7 Elm pl., heeler.
 Baxter, Arthur E., 189 Hancock st., blacksmith.
 Brown, Henry T., 37 Chestnut st., gardener.
 Bamford, Doctor, 137 Hancock st., tailor.
 Bent, John H., 9 Cottage av., clerk.
 Burgess, Charles H., Russell park, clerk.

Bates, John T., 65 Water st., coachman.
 Benson, Frank, Verchild st., clerk.
 Carlson, Charles F., 12 Saville av., variety store.
 Carter, George K., 33 South st., station agent.
 Chase, William P., Safford st., gold beater.
 Cook, Martin H., 38 Brackett st., granite dealer.
 Coolidge, Waldo A., 5 Summer st., carriage painter.
 Costa, Andrew S., 35 Phipps st., stone cutter.
 Crane, Charles, 2 Greenleaf st., provision dealer.
 Crane, George, 159 Washington st., carpenter.
 Cross, Eldridge, 195 Hancock st., carpenter.
 Chubbuck, William K., 212 Washington st., carpenter.
 Cobb, Walter H., 93 Washington st., reporter.
 Carey, Timothy J., South st., insurance.
 Coyle, John, 24 Columbia st., stone cutter.
 Crane, Friend, off Washington st., furniture.
 Damon, Amos E., 13 Edwards st., stove dealer.
 Damon, Charles H., 8 Wharf st., shipwright.
 Denneen, Michael, 23 Common st., stone cutter.
 DeNormandie, Eugene F., Highland av., publisher.
 Drake, George W., Storey st., poultry dealer.
 Doble, Herbert F., off Cross st., grocer.
 Drew, Cephas, 9 Walker st., clerk.
 Dunn, James E., 118 Whitwell st., blacksmith.
 Dinegan, John H., 151 Washington st., real estate.
 Duggan, John A., 37 Atlantic st., inventor.
 Donovan, Jeremiah W., Squantum st., real estate.
 Dewson, George B., Adams st., real estate.
 Drake, Thomas F., Washington st., real estate.
 Edgerton, David R., 63 Central av., carpenter.
 Edwards, Henry, 11 School st., clerk.
 Edwards, Stephen H., 30 Walnut st., furnaces.
 Ela, Levi C., 46 Farrington st., carpenter.
 Estabrook, Henry L., Fenno st., farmer.
 Evans, John, 24 Copeland st., merchant.
 Elcock, James H., 121 Copeland st., granite dealer.
 Elcock, George, 163 Copeland st., granite dealer.
 Farquhar, George, 29 Centre st., polisher.

Fenno, Josiah A., 385 Hancock street, draughtsman.
 Fletcher, James B., 33 Garfield st., stone cutter.
 Folsom, Frank W., 18 Miller st., stone cutter.
 Furnald, Thomas E., Edwards st., grocer.
 Fay, Patrick, 25 Penn st., laborer.
 Fallon, Peter T., 22 Common st., granite dealer.
 Fegan, Walter R., Hancock st., granite dealer.
 Finegan, Frank B., Pierce st., machinist.
 Ford, Timothy F., 19 Phipps st., inspector.
 Fuller, Virgil W., 9 Hall pl., granite agent.
 Faircloth, John C., 61 Phipps st., shoemaker.
 Fox, John N., 46 Franklin st., superintendent.
 Galvin, John P., 60 Granite st., stone cutter.
 Gay, John S., Newcomb pl., carriage painter.
 Geer, Henry F., Wesson st., granite cutter.
 Glidden, Wallace F., Cleverly ct., clerk.
 Girard, Daniel, 98 Water st., stone cutter.
 Goodhue, J. Frank, 40 Phipps st., clerk.
 Glover, William D., Rock Island, carpenter.
 Gatcomb, Morris I., 2 Union st., lumber surveyor.
 Glover, J. Edwin, 60 Washington st., driver.
 Hall, Elijah G., 5 Newbury av., real estate.
 Hardwick, Charles F., 24 Spear st., granite dealer.
 Hardwick, John F., 45 Granite st., insurance agent.
 Hardwick, Justin K., 41 Granite st., farmer.
 Havahan, Francis J., 33 Common st., stone contractor.
 Harris, James M., 1 Wendell st., quarryman.
 Hobart, Elisha, 8 Pearl st., brick mason.
 Hardwick, Edward, 36 Franklin st., engineer.
 Hogan, Joseph M. F., 6 1-2 Cottage st., horse shoer.
 Halvosa, Philip J., 22 Columbia st., stone cutter.
 Horrigan, John, Payne st., sculptor.
 Howley, Andrew W., 57 Phipps st., shoemaker.
 Hunter, Charles W., 8 Jackson st., granite dealer.
 Johnson, Julius, 64 Centre st., carpenter.
 Johnson, Joseph W., 3 Russell Park, grocer.
 Jordan, William A., 26 Taylor st., carpet layer.
 Joss, James, 10 Garfield st., granite dealer.

Kelly, James W., 158 Copeland st., stone cutter.
 Kilmartin, John, 57 Crescent st., provision dealer.
 King, Samuel M., Beale st., bank teller.
 Kittredge, Henry P., Hancock st., variety store.
 Kendall, Arthur S., 443 Hancock st., music composer.
 Kingman, Howard G., 33 Arlington st., shoemaker.
 Kennedy, Joseph G., 36 Quincy av., granite dealer.
 King, Delcevere, Adams st., agent.
 Lamb, Thomas J., 1 Crescent st., merchant.
 Lapham, Joseph A., Washington ct., fish dealer.
 Lawton, Lucius W., Goffe st., farmer.
 Lincoln, Thomas W., 266 Washington st., sail maker.
 Litchfield, Elwood M., Quincy av., house painter.
 Lelois, Ambrose B., 19 River st., boat builder.
 Lowe, Ivers M., 123 Washington st., civil engineer.
 Landers, James P., Sachem st., plumber.
 Litchfield, Amos L., 16 Quincy st., contractor.
 Lorey, Adolph E., 33 Chestnut st., spectacle case maker.
 Loud, Arthur W., 10 Hall pl., bookkeeper.
 Little, Stephen B., 190 Willard st., dry goods.
 Main, George, Taber st., blacksmith.
 Marple, Lucius E., Everett st., electrical engineer.
 Marsh, Ephraim R., Bicknell st., expressman.
 McFarlane, George, Merry Mount road, granite dealer.
 McGovern, James P., South st., merchant.
 McNally, Michael, Hancock st., stone cutter.
 McPherson, Andrew, 4 Central av., commission merchant.
 McTear, Ellis M., Everett st., carpenter.
 Mead, Alfred L., 157 Washington st., shoe finisher.
 Milne, James, 3 Penn st., stone cutter.
 McClure, Charles F., Squantum st., milk dealer.
 Mitchell, Arthur L., 29 Franklin st., contractor.
 Mitchell, Thomas F., Brook st., upholsterer.
 Moodie, James, Jr., Liberty st., stone cutter.
 Moynihan, Cornelius H., 21 Water st., shoemaker.
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 Macleod, Archibald F., 20 Spear st., salesman.
 Miller, John L., 67 Franklin st., granite dealer.
 Nash, Lysander W., Central av., real estate.

Newcomb, Charles H. S., 237 Washington st., carpenter.
 Nutting, Abel, 44 Water st., stone business.
 Newcomb, Edwin W., 3 Newcomb pl., shoe manufacturer.
 Newcomb, John Q., 35 Hancock st., clerk.
 Newcomb, Joseph W., 41 Chestnut st., bootmaker.
 Newcomb, George W., 6 Quincy st., leather.
 Nightingale, Frank W., Faxon ave., collector.
 O'Brien, George, 69 Copeland st., fish dealer.
 Otis, Stephen M., 159 Quincy av., blacksmith.
 Oxford, Samuel, 2 River st., shoemaker.
 O'Brien, John M., 20 Station st., stone cutter.
 Paine, Jonathan S., 7 Baxter st., bootmaker.
 Perry, Frank W., Arnold st., conductor.
 Perry, James P., Marion st., plumber.
 Pierce, James W., 98 Granite st., tinsmith.
 Pitts, Lemuel, Highland ave., hatter.
 Preston, Andrew J., Park st., laundry.
 Prout, George, Jr., 45 Garfield st., contractor.
 Pierce, D. Vinton, 6 Johnson av., real estate.
 Prescott, Frank F., 14 Bigelow st., editor.
 Pettengill, Charles F., Revere rd., jeweller.
 Packard, William M., Maple pl., salesman.
 Ramsdell, John B. F., 24 Billings st., laundry.
 Roberts, John H., 22 Brook st., upholsterer.
 Rogers, Osborne, 237 Hancock st., grocer.
 Rooney, John H., 32 Bates av., blacksmith.
 Russell, John, Bradford st., stone cutter.
 Ryan, John H., 72 Common st., granite cutter.
 Reardon, William P., 66 Common st., foreman.
 Roche, David J., 5 Carruth st., carpenter.
 Rideout, Warren H., Payne street., clerk.
 Richards, William T., 1 Irving pl., salesman.
 Rogers, Howard, 236 Hancock st., grocer.
 Robertson, Joseph, Adams st., farmer.
 Sampson, William H., Jr., 2 Wharf st., clerk.
 Saville, George G., 5 Greenleaf st., merchant.
 Shackley, Albert J., 19 Cross st., stone cutter.
 Shackley, Jonas, 3 Hall pl., carpenter.
 Shepherd, George, 4 River st., shoe finisher.

Shirley, Alexander, 5 Filbert st., stone cutter.
 Small, Sanford, Edwin st., grocer.
 Spear, William G., 23 Granite st., librarian.
 Shepherd, J. Herbert, 4 River st., motorman.
 Sullivan, James H., 9 Quincy av., stone cutter.
 Swain, Stephen N., 62 Phipps st., shoemaker.
 Sweeny, Michael, 31 Main st., bootmaker.
 Swingle, Jonathan S., Canal st., contractor.
 Swallow, A. Moreton, 215 Hancock st., clerk.
 Souther, Edward B., Foster st., retired.
 Smith, Frederick H., 247 Washington st., real estate.
 Slade, James H., Hill st., stenographer.
 Thayer, Thomas J. H., 9 Wendell st., engineer.
 Teasdale, Robert, J., 148 Willard st., agent.
 Teasdale, William H., 8 Cross st., blacksmith.
 Thomas, Joseph E., 254 Washington st., tree protectors.
 Tower, Charles H., 3 Howard st., upholsterer.
 Tinney, John Frank, 40 Smith st., polisher.
 Tilton, Charles B., Merrymount rd., salesman.
 Vogel, Adam S., 74 Willard st., real estate.
 VanBuskirk, Rolland N., Hancock st., real estate.
 Wade, Edmund R., Prospect st., bookkeeper.
 Webb, James H., 103 Washington st., janitor.
 Weymouth, Henry S., Glover av., agent.
 Wilson, Stephen E., Adams st., real estate.
 Williams, L. Dowley, Adams st., retired.
 Warner, William H., 19 Penn st., water works.
 Woodward, Arthur W., 21 Robertson st., blacksmith.
 White, James A., 25 Miller st., granite dealer.
 Walsh, William J., 4 Franklin pl., conductor.
 Westland, George T., 112 1-2 Hancock st., clerk.
 Young, William J., 272 Washington st., stone mason.

A true copy : attest.

JAMES F. HARLOW,

Clerk of Board of Registrars.

Report of Park Commissioners.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

The Board of Park Commissioners respectfully submit the following report.

The appropriation for the use of this commission was reduced this year from \$500 to \$250 and receipts, or \$350 in all ; too small an amount when the area and needs of the Park System are considered.

No lasting or beneficial results could possibly be obtained by trying to do something for each park and playground with this small sum, and nearly the entire amount was expended at Merry Mount park and the Ward 2 playground.

Merry Mount Park naturally claims a large share of the annual appropriation to keep it in order, and this year received the usual cleaning ; a causeway was built to connect the knoll at the extreme easterly end with the mainland, and the roadways were repaired generally. The pavilion was repaired also, and a pipe put in near the ball grounds to furnish water. This park should have better police protection as the annual grass fires have injured the trees and shrubbery severely.

This year one of the outhouses was burned and totally destroyed.

At the Ward 2 playground improvements of a permanent nature were begun, and about two acres cleared, ploughed, graded and seeded. A pipe was also laid from Hill street to supply water.

It would seem that the time has now come when the inhabitants of Quincy should receive more benefit from the Park System for which the city expended so much money.

The annual appropriation placed at the disposal of the commission is too small to permit of any extensive scheme of

improvement, and we suggest that the unexpended balance of the \$50,000 appropriated for the purchase of these grounds be placed at the disposal of the Board of Park Commissioners, to be expended under their direction.

The boulevard, which now seems an assured fact, will pass through Merry Mount Park and along the easterly end of the Ward 4 playground, and something should be done to reclaim the latter place from its wild condition. Merry Mount Park is one of the finest natural parks, and no work of an extensive nature should be attempted until some comprehensive plan of improvement has been obtained from a competent landscape architect. This plan should be carefully followed to prevent amateur incompetency causing lasting regret.

In its present condition the Ward 6 playground is an unsightly barren waste. Situated in the very centre of the ward, near the depot, and passed daily by hundreds of citizens and out of town visitors to Squantum, it is an eyesore that should be attended to at once.

The Ward 3 playground presents an engineering problem of some difficulty. It is under water a part of the year, and to fit it for the use for which it is intended, the brook running through it must be deepened and widened, and considerable filling done. This work would undoubtedly call for a considerable expenditure.

Faxon Park can be made one of the most attractive breathing spaces in the system, and some action should be taken to make it more accessible. Past experience has shown that it is impossible to keep down the growth with the sum that can be spared from the appropriation, and this park is practically in an unimproved state.

In their report for 1899 the Park Commissioners called attention to the fact that while Quincy had miles of sea coast, there were no public bathing facilities. The situation is the same now, and should be remedied by providing at least one bath house for the coming season, and no better location can be found than at the Ward 2 playground. There is a good safe beach here, which can be reached easily and quickly.

The plan suggested for providing funds to begin improvements of a permanent nature will cause no additional burden by

increasing the tax rate, and we trust will receive due consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS,

GEORGE E. PFAFFMANN, *Chairman*,

GEORGE F. FIELD,

GEORGE W. HOLDEN, *Secretary*.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Appropriation,	\$250 00	
Received from rent of pasture,	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$350 00

EXPENDITURES.

April 16, John Hall & Son, carriage,	\$3 00	
April 24, Daniel Ford, labor at Ward 2 playground,	9 13	
May Water Board, water, at Ward 2 playground,	18 89	
June 10, G. E. Thomas, labor and lumber, Merry Mount Park,	32 32	
June 20, Daniel Ford, labor, Merry Mount Park,	8 75	
July 26, P. J. Williams & Co., repairing fence, Ward 3 playground,	12 00	
July 26, P. J. Williams & Co., backstop, Ward 4 playground,	18 00	
Sept. 26, Daniel Ford, labor, Ward 2 playground,	3 87	
Oct. 4, Schlegel & Fottler, grass seed, Ward 2 playground,	15 90	
Oct. 14, Edward J. Murphy, labor, Merry Mount Park,	67 51	
Oct. 18, J. M. Delory, labor, Ward 2 playground,	125 00	
Unexpended balance,	35 63	
	<hr/>	\$350 00

Public Burial Places.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

The Managers of Public Burial Places would hereby submit its annual report.

The work of this department during the past year has progressed, as a whole, in a very satisfactory manner, considering the fact that the board had only a limited appropriation at its disposal. When the present board assumed its duties, it started out with the determination that it would not exceed its appropriation, which was \$4,600, and the income of the perpetual care fund, which was \$458.62, making a total of \$5,058.62. The board has succeeded in its purpose, and there is an unexpended balance of \$37.87 to the credit of this department. While this result has been accomplished, it should not be inferred that the board has been able to do all the work that there might have been done in this department—far from it. The work of this department during the past year was much greater than ever before. It has been increasing during the past few years, and it will, we believe, in the years to come. As the population of our city increases, the work of this department, in common with all others, will increase. This year a number of applications for the re-grading of lots, as well as other work, would not be taken; for, had they been, the department would have exceeded its appropriation. This they were determined not to do.

Although this department has not expended its entire income during the present year, it will need a larger appropriation for the year 1900, as there is work which should have been done last year that must be done during the present year. There are only twenty lots in Mt. Wollaston Cemetery which are now for

sale, and some more land must be regraded and laid out into lots, and this will require the expenditure of at least \$500. It will thus be seen that an additional appropriation is absolutely necessary.

The failure of lot owners to have work done upon their lots when wanted causes much dissatisfaction. They fail to see why the work cannot be done as long as they are willing to pay the bills. It is the general supposition that the department has the use of all its receipts, which, however, is not the fact; they go direct to the City Treasurer, and all that this, as well as other departments get, is what is annually appropriated by the City Council. From the foregoing statements it will be seen that the department is retarded in its work. It would seem, in view of what has been stated, that it would be in accordance with good business principles if the annual appropriation was increased, as the additional money appropriated would eventually find its way back into the City Treasury for additional work done on lots, etc.

Old Hancock Cemetery.

This has received such care and attention as the board has been able to give it. There has been one burial here during 1899, and a few bodies have been placed in the tombs. We think that the use of the tombs should be discontinued. During the early part of the present year, there was complaint that this enclosure was being neglected. This season the board has had the walks kept clean and the grass mowed. There have been many visitors to this cemetery during the year, probably more than ever before, a large number of whom were persons interested in matters of a genealogical research. It would seem as though a man should be kept at work at this cemetery during the summer months. We would recommend that a small appropriation be made for the care of this cemetery. For several years the sum of \$100 was appropriated for this purpose, but of late it has not been done. We also desire to call attention to the fact that the wall surrounding this cemetery is in a very dilapidated condition, and something will soon have to be done to repair the same. We would recommend a special appropriation for this purpose. We trust that the matter may be carefully looked into.

Mt. Wollaston Cemetery.

This enclosure continues to grow more attractive as a burial place for the dead. It is very gratifying to see that the lot owners are showing a disposition to aid in beautifying this City of the Dead. Notwithstanding the severe drought of last summer, this cemetery presented a fine appearance, but it was only by hard and efficient work on the part of Mr. James Nicols, the superintendent, and his corps of employes. The present attractive condition of this burial place of the dead has been brought about mainly by the conscientious and painstaking efforts of Supt. Nicols, and the board feels that the city is to be congratulated on having one so faithful and efficient in charge of this position. The number of lots cared for by the department during 1899 was larger than ever before. There were several lots cared for for the first time. We would impress upon the owners the necessity of having them cared for yearly. There are people who have lots which have become run down by neglect on their part cared for by this department for one year, and if they don't look as attractive as their neighbor's, they complain about the care they have received, and find fault with the employes of the department, when the blame is wholly their own. While there are many who have had their lots regraded after the lawn plan, which was inaugurated a few years ago, there are others who pay comparatively no attention to their lots, and they detract from the general beauty of the surroundings. We are glad to say this system continues to grow in favor, and we hope the day will come when all lots shall have been placed on this plan. When this is done we will have a cemetery which, for natural beauty and attractive surroundings, cannot be surpassed.

Perpetual Care.

The perpetual care fund has continued to increase during the year. There have been eleven new lots placed under perpetual care, amounting to \$1,250. The total number of lots now under perpetual care is 96, and the total fund is \$12,425. The fund is now deposited in the Granite National Bank. We desire to call the attention of owners of lots to the importance of having them placed under perpetual care while they are living. By

so doing they will provide the means of having their burial place made attractive after they have passed from the scenes of earth.

Statistics.

Whole number of lots cared for,	585
By yearly contract,	496
By perpetual care,	89

There have been 214 burials in the two cemeteries during the year 1899, as follows :

At Mt. Wollaston Cemetery : adults, 89 ; under 21 years, 68 ; died in other places, adults, 38 ; under 21 years of age, 8.

At old cemetery : Adults, 3.

Removals : From Mt. Wollaston Cemetery, 5 ; from old cemetery, 8.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Appropriation,	\$4,600 00
Expenses,	4,562 13
Unexpended balance,	<u>\$37 87</u>

Receipts for 1899.

Care of lots in 1893,	\$6 00
Care of lots in 1897,	10 00
Care of lots in 1898,	578 00
Care of lots in 1899,	844 00
Regrading,	253 75
Myrtling graves,	3 00
Removals,	30 00
Lots sold,	1,036 00
Opening graves,	754 00
Graves sold,	168 50
Foundations,	324 85
Boundary posts,	9 00
Sodding graves,	1 50
Mowing grass,	2 75
Use of receiving tomb,	24 00
Opening tomb,	7 00

Moving monument,	10 00	
Sowing lots,	6 00	
Work on lot 681,	18 00	
Wood sold,	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$4,091 35

Perpetual Care Fund.

Cash on hand, January 1, 1899, .	\$11,175 00	
Added during the year,	1,250 00	
Interest on same,	458 56	
Paid for care of lots,		\$458 56
Cash on hand, December 31, 1899, .		12,425 00
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	\$12,883 56	\$12,883 56

C. C. Johnson Fund.

Deposited in Quincy Savings Bank, .	\$150 00	
Interest on same,	6 06	
Paid for care of lot,		\$6 06
Cash on hand, December 31, 1899, .		150 00
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	\$156 06	\$156 06

JOSEPH H. VOGEL, *Chairman*,
WALTER H. COBB, *Secretary*,
CEPHAS DREW,
JAMES E. MAXIM,
ARTHUR L. MITCHELL.

Report of City Solicitor.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

I have the honor to report to you the situation of the legal business of the city and to review the work of the Solicitor for the year ending December 31, 1899.

The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs of the Legislature of 1899 gave a hearing on a bill reported by the Board of Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners to provide for the construction of a high level gravity sewer for the relief of the Charles and Neponset River Valleys, and creating a South Metropolitan District including Quincy within the same. The hearing was given on short notice, and after hurried conferences with the engineer and Sewerage Commissioners of the City of Quincy, the Solicitor appeared and opposed the bill on the ground that the point of the proposed outlet off Nut Island was objectionable and had not been passed upon or assented to by the State Board of Health, and further that the act as drawn would operate adversely to the interests of the City of Quincy. As a result of this opposition, nobody else appearing in objection to the bill, the Solicitor was allowed to amend the bill by inserting the proviso in section one of the act as finally passed, which provides that no part of the proposed outlet or sewage system between Hyde Park and the outlet shall be constructed before 1900 and until plans for said outlet shall be further considered, adopted and approved by the State Board of Health.

I am informed that said Board of Health, through its engineers and agents, have made an exhaustive investigation into the question of a proper and safe outlet for this system and will be in a position to report upon the same this winter, and I believe, as a result of these investigations, a point of discharge farther

away from Quincy, probably outside of Peddock's Island, and perfectly satisfactory to Quincy and to the Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners, will be the one ultimately adopted.

I would call your attention to the fact that it was upon the initiative of the City of Quincy, although the Town of Hingham afterwards came in and endorsed our position, that the matter was placed in the hands of the State Board of Health, and that the gentlemen comprising said Board, of whom Col. Charles H. Porter of Quincy is one, are, I believe, alive to the dangers to the City of Quincy in having the outlet located too near our shores. And in this connection, let me say that it is important to keep in touch with the progress of their investigation and to seasonably ask for a hearing before the State Board of Health, before any plans are finally approved, that our city officials may have an opportunity to show any objections to the outlet if deemed advisable rather than wait until after the Board reports to the Legislature when it will be too late, in my opinion, to obtain any concessions. I am informed that such a hearing, if asked for, would be granted and in the meantime all information and help necessary to enable us to make independent investigations would be given to us by the officials of the State Board of Health.

In relation to the widening and relocation of Sea Street and other streets through which the sewer is designed to be built, I desire to call your attention to section six of said act. The scope of the authority to be given the commissioners in conjunction with the mayor and aldermen of cities, or selectmen of towns, was somewhat enlarged through the suggestion of the solicitor. You will observe that the Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners may widen or change the location or grade of any highway, townway and public street, or other way of travel, crossed by sewers or in which sewers are to be located,

It is the intention, I believe, of the Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners to locate a part of their sewer in Sea street, and I have no doubt that arrangements may be made with the commissioners concerning the widening, relocation and construction of this street which may save a large sum of money to the City of Quincy in carrying out the proposed improvements in this highway.

In reference to the city's financial interests under said act I would say that after several conferences between the chairman of the Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners and the Solicitor, portions of the act were redrawn by the Solicitor, the proviso in relation to the City of Quincy being added. This section as it now stands will, in the opinion of the engineer of our Sewerage Board, be of the greatest importance to Quincy when the system is constructed, and I refer you to him for particulars.

The Supreme Court will in March appoint a commission to apportion, among the cities and towns comprising the South Metropolitan District, the cost of construction and the expense of maintenance of the South Metropolitan Sewer for the next five years. If the commission appointed adopts the method accepted and in force for the North Metropolitan District, we shall pay for construction on the basis of our valuation, and for maintenance on the basis of our population.

After many fruitless conferences with the officials of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. during the spring and summer, Mayor Keith instructed the Solicitor to begin proceedings against the railroad company with a view to obtain from the company adequate service and proper conveniences for the Quincy patrons of the railroad.

In pursuance of these instructions, the Solicitor drew a petition addressed to the Railroad Commissioners, asking that the company be required to furnish a new station at Quincy, also one at Atlantic, better train service at Quincy, and increased freight facilities. The commissioners were also asked to modify their last recommendation concerning the approaches to the Wollaston station, and to require the railroad company to erect farther in upon its location a suitable open wire fence with gates in place of turnstiles.

Upon this petition the Railroad Commissioners gave Mayor Keith a hearing and later came to Quincy and viewed the company's property.

The Solicitor conducted the hearing on behalf of the city and attended the commissioners on their view. Before the final hearing, the management of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. changed hands, and the new president, Judge Hall, requested a conference with Mayor Keith and the City So-

licitor. As a result of that conference, the president conceded in writing all the requests contained in our petition to the Railroad Commissioners. The fence at Wollaston was soon afterwards removed and one of suitable design, with gates in place of turnstiles, erected in a satisfactory location. A temporary siding for bulk freight was constructed at Quincy. It was agreed that the erection of a new station should be deferred until spring. Concerning the better train service, the Solicitor contended at the conference that Quincy's centre was deserving of at least half hourly service during all the day with even more frequent trains during the periods of heaviest transportation. Mr. Chamberlain, the general manager, who was at the conference, agreed that we ought to have more trains and that as soon as the new railroad bridge at the train entrance to the terminal station was completed and ready for use, he would take up the matter with a view to better accommodating the Quincy people in this respect. I would suggest that long before the spring schedule goes into effect, Mr. Chamberlain be seen and a new timetable agreed upon.

There has been no final disposition of the petition before the Railroad Commissioners, it being continued nisi to await the completion of the improvements promised by the company.

In connection with the consideration of the abolition of grade crossings and the erection of a new station, the Solicitor is of the opinion that expert engineering talent should be at once employed by the city with a view to devising plans for a wide thoroughfare to President's Hill, and at the same time to provide for an artistic and adequate approach to the railroad station. If the new station is located upon the site of the present one, it can be readily seen that the present narrow approaches to Hancock street will soon be so congested with electric cars, carriages and foot passengers as to be extremely dangerous, to say nothing of its being as it is now, most unattractive. It is the opinion of the Solicitor that in no event can the abolition of the grade crossings, under the act, cost the city over ten per cent. of the entire cost of the same, and whether the proceedings are upon the initiative of the city or of the railroad company makes no difference in the final apportionment of the commissioners.

On January 25, the Metropolitan Park Commissioners gave

a hearing to Mayor Keith and the committee of citizens originally appointed by ex-Mayor Sears and others, at which hearing the commissioners confirmed the rumor for some time prevalent that it was not the intention of the commissioners to acquire land in Quincy for a shore reservation and park-way, and it appeared that the prices asked for property in Quincy, necessary to be taken for these purposes, had largely influenced the board in its action. It further appeared that although it was then possible to obtain a reduction in the prices, the commissioners could not take favorable action inasmuch as such money as had been available for Quincy had been appropriated or would be needed for work undertaken in other places.

The commissioners admitted that a reduction in the cost of the takings of property might affect their action if called upon to again consider the project, but declined to ask the Legislature for money for this specific purpose or to agree to endorse the action of the Mayor or any citizens of Quincy in their efforts to procure the same, not wishing to take any position tending to commit the Board of Metropolitan Park Commissioners to the acquiring of property or the construction of reservations, boulevards or parkways in Quincy in the future.

The present Solicitor entered upon the duties of his office on the sixth day of February. The thirty-first day of January, however, was the last day for the introduction of new bills in the Legislature. As a result of a conference with Mayor Keith and the late Mr. Nelson V. Titus, a bill and petition was drawn by me, requiring the Metropolitan Park Commissioners to take land and construct a parkway within the city of Quincy and appropriate money therefor. At the request of Mayor Keith, this bill was introduced in the House by Representative Sheppard. Subsequently, the Solicitor on several days appeared before the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs and conducted the hearings on the petition of Mayor Keith. He also accompanied the committee to view the proposed locus, later appeared before the Committee on Ways and Means, and was constantly in attendance at the State House, in conference with members of committees and others, and watched the passage of the bill through the House and Senate.

The Legislature of 1899 passed two bills reported by the

Committee on Metropolitan Affairs to increase the amount of money to be placed at the disposal of the Metropolitan Park, Commissioners for general purposes and for roadways and boulevards in the sum of \$800,000. Of this sum, \$100,000 was intended to be available for the takings of the Quincy shore front reservation, \$25,000 for immediate construction, and \$55,000 for the takings of the Blue Hills Parkway, all in the city of Quincy but though these sums were voted by the committee for the purposes enumerated and went to makeup the above total, the actual taking of the property was left to the discretion of the Metropolitan Park Commission in pursuance of a policy some time ago adopted by the Legislature in such matters. These acts were approved May 25th and 27th.

In the meantime the personnel of the Metropolitan Park Commission had somewhat changed, and before the Board was ready to review the Quincy project in detail, many of the options already secured had expired and it was also thought necessary to secure others. During the entire summer and fall the Solicitor was in communication with the office of the Park Commissioners and engaged in obtaining and renewing options and interviewing parties in interest.

On December 20th the Metropolitan Park Commission voted unanimously to order the Secretary to prepare plans for the takings of the shore reservation and the Blue Hills Parkway. The takings at Squantum were not made because satisfactory arrangements with the present owners had not been accomplished. This action was intended to give to Quincy the shore reservation and parkway so long desired.

By the schedule of estimates and options in the possession of the Metropolitan Park Commission, it appears that the land for the shore front reservation, from Hancock street to Hancock street, can be had for about \$55,000, leaving \$45,000 of the \$100,000 for contingencies and immediate construction in addition to the \$25,000 for construction. It also appears that there may be a fair sum left from the Blue Hills Parkway appropriation after the land takings are made and paid for. There may, therefore, be anywhere from \$65,000 to \$75,000 available for immediate construction after the takings have been made and paid for. This will not, however, be sufficient to do a great deal

in the way of construction, and it will therefore become necessary for the representatives of Quincy to procure an additional appropriation from the Legislature at as early a date as the Metropolitan Park Commissioners deem advisable.

This year the Supreme Court will be called upon to determine and apportion the cost among the cities and towns in the Metropolitan Park District for both the reservations and boulevards. It seems to me that the City of Quincy at this time might properly contend that the apportionment, so far as this city is concerned, should not be radically different from that made in 1895 because the conditions under which the old award was made, particularly in reference to the cost of reservations and parks, have not been materially changed.

I have gone into this matter somewhat at length because it seemed to me, in view of that which must be done later, to be of importance to the succeeding legal representatives of the city to have in their department a full and complete history of this matter.

The Solicitor desires to publicly acknowledge the valuable assistance and encouragement given him in his labors as counsel in this matter by the late Mr. Titus, Representative Sheppard, Mr. Theodore Parker, Mr. John Swithin, Mr. Kingston, Mr. A. J. Bailey, and the gentlemen who appeared and testified before the committees and who assisted him in procuring options, without whose services he believes he could not have taken the many successive steps which ultimately led to the laying out of the reservation and parkway in Quincy.

At the request of Mayor Keith, the Solicitor drew the bills which were finally enacted and became a law and are now known as Chapter 219 of the acts of 1899, entitled "An act to authorize the City of Quincy to refund a part of its indebtedness," Chapter 225 of the acts of 1899 entitled "An act to authorize the City of Quincy to incur indebtedness beyond the limit fixed by law for street improvements," and Chapter 237 of the Acts of 1899 entitled "An act relative to the tenure of office of the Board of Water Commissioners in the City of Quincy."

Upon all these bills the Solicitor appeared before the committees of the Legislature having the same in charge and conducted the hearings thereon. The Solicitor also attended the

several committees of the Legislature having bills before them which affected the City of Quincy in general with other places, and at the request of the Metropolitan Board of Water Commissioners, appeared in opposition to certain bills in which there appeared provisions detrimental to the interests of Quincy and the district.

Concerning the petition for the widening of the bridge, and approaches thereto, over the railroad on Hancock street near Atlantic, a view was taken of the premises and a hearing given by the County Commissioners in December, at which time the matter was further postponed to enable the railroad officials to perfect their plans for improvements at Atlantic.

There was also a hearing given by the County Commissioners on the question of connecting Warren avenue, East and West, over the railroad location by an overhead foot bridge. After hearing all the testimony, the commissioners continued the matter into February. The evidence introduced was to the effect that a foot bridge, which would cost not more than \$4,500, was much needed at this place. If the County Commissioners act favorably on our petition, it will then be in order for the City Council to authorize an appropriation for the construction of the bridge as petitioned for.

In reference to the cases against the city pending in court and referred to in earlier reports of this department, *Larkin vs. City of Quincy*, and *Jenness vs. City of Quincy* were both settled upon terms which were approved by the City Council.

Of those suits in which the city is plaintiff, the Solicitor tried at Dedham, before a jury, that of *Brasee, Tax Collector, vs. Wilkins, Executor*, which resulted in a verdict in favor of the city for the full amount claimed with costs. Upon the result of this suit, the receipt of four year's taxes from the *Laura Whicher* estate depended, the action being tried to determine whether Quincy or Boston was entitled to receive the same.

In the suit of *Brasee, Tax Collector, vs. Fuller*, counsel for defendant and the Solicitor have had many conferences concerning an adjustment of the city's claim, and I believe that a fair settlement can soon be made.

The suits brought and entered against the city, and not previously reported with statements concerning them, are as follows :

Mary McClellan vs. City of Quincy was an action for personal injuries sustained by reason of the plaintiff's falling from the highway into the brook on Brook Road, there being no fence or rail where the accident occurred. The suit was settled with the approval of the Mayor for \$150.

Lillian V. Connolly vs. City of Quincy is an action now pending in the Superior Court to recover damages for personal injuries sustained by the plaintiff's falling over the granite block situated on the edge of the sidewalk in front of the Durgin & Merrill Block. The block complained of was placed there by Mr. Merrill many years ago. Mr. Merrill has been notified to defend the suit.

Alexander Bently vs. City of Quincy is a suit pending in the Superior Court at Dedham for personal injuries which the plaintiff claims he received on Sept. 21st, 1898, while travelling on Quarry Street near the stone sheds of McDonnell & Sons. He alleges that there was a deep hole in the street at this point, into which he fell and was injured.

Sarah E. N. Edwards and George A. Brackett, Trustees, vs. City of Quincy is a petition now pending in the Superior Court at Dedham to assess damages for land taken in the widening of Hancock street near the junction of School street in the city of Quincy.

Mary Haley vs. City of Quincy is an action pending in the Superior Court at Dedham for personal injuries received by the plaintiff while travelling on the sidewalk on the northerly side of Robertson street on the evening of the 14th day of September, 1899. The plaintiff claims that her injuries were received by reason of her falling into a hole in the sidewalk which was about twenty-five feet west from the culvert near the residence of Silas Hicks.

Eunice A. Doble vs. City of Quincy is a suit commenced the 27th of December and returnable at the Superior Court in February next. It is brought to recover damages for personal injuries sustained while travelling over Copeland street in a carriage on the afternoon of the 26th of October, 1899. The claim is that there was a defect in Copeland street about twenty feet easterly from the junction of said Copeland street and an avenue called Furnace avenue which caused the accident.

Besides the suits above enumerated, there are several pending in the Superior Court and the District Court of East Norfolk, wherein the City of Quincy appears as trustee.

There are also several suits against the city still pending in the District Court of East Norfolk, wherein the city has been sued under the statute giving to laborers liens for labor performed in the construction of public sewers. These are cases where the men have been unable to get their money from the contractors with whom they bargained, and seek to recover from the city under the statute aforesaid. A list of all these cases brought during the term of office of the present Solicitor will be found in the docket of the Law Department.

I have attended the meetings of the City Council ; submitted opinions in writing, when requested, to the Council, its committees, the Mayor and heads of departments, and have also rendered the city officials such other assistance upon legal matters as they have from time to time required.

In closing this report, I desire to acknowledge the cooperation and active sympathy and support which Mayor Keith has always accorded me in the performance of my duties as his Solicitor to the City of Quincy.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL R. BLACKMUR,
City Solicitor.

Police Department.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

SIR—In compliance with the ordinance governing the Police Department, I have the honor to submit this, the eleventh annual report of the department, for the year ending December 31, 1899.

The department consists of eleven men, eight regular and one special officer doing night patrol duty, one on night duty at the Police Station, one doing day patrol duty and also one detailed to enforce the liquor law and inspection duty.

Following is a synopsis of the work of the department :

Number of arrests,	535	Number of males,	512
Number of females,	23	Number of married,	193
Number of single,	342	Number of Adults,	433
Number of minors,	102	Number of residents,	389
Number of non-residents,	146		

Nativity of Those Arrested.

Canada,	7	England,	14
France,	5	Finland,	15
Germany,	5	Ireland,	127
Italy,	35	Newfoundland,	4
Nova Scotia,	21	New Brunswick,	1
Prince Edwards Island,	3	Portugal,	1
Poland,	1	Russia,	10
Scotland,	17	Sweden,	31
United States,	238		

Causes of Arrests.

Arson,	4	Assault,	57
Assault and battery,	5	Assault on an officer,	1
Assault with a dangerous weapon,	6	Assault, felonious,	2
Bastardy,	5	Arrested for out of town officers,	3
Breaking and entering,	8	Breaking, entering and lar- ceny,	4
Contempt of court,	3	City ordinance, violation of,	7
Cruelty to animals,	3	Disturbing the peace,	49
Default,	4	Drunkenness,	222
Dipsomaniac,	1	Escape from prison,	1
Embezzlement,	5	False pretenses,	2
Evading fare,	1	Gaming,	5
Fish law, violation of,	2	Held for witness,	2
Game law, violation of,	6	Indecent exposure,	1
Insane,	11	Larceny,	34
Injury to property,	1	Larceny from a person,	1
Larceny in a building,	9	Liquor law, violation of,	16
Larceny from the realty,	2	Libel,	1
Lord's day, violation of,	10	Malicious mischief,	6
Malicious injury,	1	Neglect of family,	3
Murder,	2	Park rules, violation of,	6
Non-support,	4	Perjury,	1
Peddling without license,	1	Reckless driving,	2
Profanity,	2	Safe keeping,	2
Receiving stolen property,	2	Truancy,	1
Stubbornness,	3	Tramp,	1
Trespassing,	3		
Vagrancy,	1		
Number of cases before the East Norfolk District Court,			533

Result of Findings.

Committed to institutions,	66
Committed to jail,	4
Committed in default of bail,	4
Committed to house of correction,	46
Committed on sentence,	12
Committed for non-payment of fine,	34

Committed to dipsomaniac hospital,	.	.	.	.	.	1
Committed to State farm,	.	.	.	.	.	2
Committed to Sherborn home,	.	.	.	.	.	1
Committed to truant school,	.	.	.	.	.	1
Committed to insane hospitals,	.	.	.	.	.	11
Committed to Taunton hospital,	.	.	.	.	.	10
Committed to Westboro hospital,	.	.	.	.	.	1
Appealed,	.	.	.	.	.	9
Continued,	.	.	.	.	.	11
Defaulted,	.	.	.	.	.	16
Discharged,	.	.	.	.	.	80
Dismissed,	.	.	.	.	.	1
Delivered to out of town officers,	.	.	.	.	.	7
Held for grand jury,	.	.	.	.	.	22
Held for superior court,	.	.	.	.	.	1
Paid fines,	.	.	.	.	.	255
Placed on file,	.	.	.	.	.	47
Placed on probation,	.	.	.	.	.	2
Released,	.	.	.	.	.	8
Settled by mutual consent,	.	.	.	.	.	4
Quashed complaints,	.	.	.	.	.	1
Liquors forfeited,	.	.	.	.	.	7
Amount or fines imposed by the court,	.	.	.	.	.	\$2,306 05
Amount of fines paid to court,	.	.	.	.	.	\$1,552 05
Cash paid to City Treasurer,	.	.	.	.	.	\$404 34

Miscellaneous Work.

Accidents reported,	.	.	.	.	.	6
Bicycles found,	.	.	.	.	.	7
Complaints investigated,	.	.	.	.	.	65
Cows found astray,	.	.	.	.	.	6
Dangerous wires reported,	.	.	.	.	.	8
Defective streets reported,	.	.	.	.	.	56
Defective sidewalks reported,	.	.	.	.	.	35
Defects in bridge reported,	.	.	.	.	.	7
Disturbances suppressed without arrest,	.	.	.	.	.	44
Doors found open,	.	.	.	.	.	175
Dogs killed,	.	.	.	.	.	9
Dangerous lights reported,	.	.	.	.	.	3

Dead bodies found,	8
Fire alarm boxes out of order,	2
Fire alarms pulled in,	2
Fire, still alarms given,	4
Fires extinguished without alarm,	15
Fires prevented from overheated stoves,	2
Goods left out and cared for,	15
Horses found cast,	14
Horses found astray,	18
Horses, runaway, caught,	9
Horses loose in stall,	3
Horses killed,	4
Injured persons cared for,	2
Leaks in water main,	3
Leaks in water pipes,	12
Lanterns displayed in dangerous places,	20
Lost children returned to parents,	10
Lost and stolen articles returned,	4
Lights reported out, arc,	140
Lights reported out, incandescent,	107
Lights reported out, gas,	135
Obstructions removed from street,	14
Obstructions removed from sidewalk,	5
Persons assisted,	12
Pocket books found,	2
Sick persons cared for,	4
Teams found and cared for,	2
Teams taken from intoxicated drivers,	1
Windows found open,	71
Number of lodgers cared for,	2,993
Lost and stolen property recovered,	\$4,443 15

The order of the City during the past year, as a whole, has been very good. This is proof that for a city as large as Quincy (with no police patrol in the day time, except one man, and less than half enough in the night) that the inhabitants are quiet and law-abiding. There has been no serious outbreak of crime, with the exception of an unusual large amount of property stolen, which has been most all recovered by the Inspector. There has

been about the usual number of unscrupulous persons who attempted to sell intoxicating liquor, but their enterprise soon came to grief (see Liquor Officer's report).

I am pleased to know that Your Honor is of the opinion that this department is in need of something to do with. We have nothing; and, therefore, what is needed is everything to make up a well equipped department.

Tramps.

The tramp nuisance has fallen off the past year over 15 per cent., but there are still more than there ought to be. I think we have more than our share of this class, for the reason that we lodge and feed them without anything for them to do, while in other places they are obliged to saw wood, or do some light work, to partly pay for what they receive.

There should be some place provided for them other than in the same room with prisoners, where we are obliged to keep them. They are an imposition on the public, and should be obliged to work and pay for what they get. People along the road which they travel should refuse to feed them and compel them to get what they eat where they lodge. There is not one in five hundred that is deserving of the charity they receive. If they are destitute, they have themselves to blame. If you ask them what sends them on the road, they will tell you that they spend their money for drink, or they would have no need to beg for food or lodging.

Many of them live in adjoining towns, have been in Boston, spent all their money, or got intoxicated and have been robbed and as a final result are obliged to beg for a lodging on their way home.

Men stop here who have been employed all summer, and out of work not more than a week, and yet they are on the road, begging, because they know people will feed them.

In concluding this report, I desire to tender my thanks to Mayor Keith, the officers of this department and all other persons who have assisted me in the performance of my duty.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH W. HAYDEN,
Chief of Police.

REPORT OF LIQUOR OFFICER.

To Joseph W. Hayden, Chief of Police:

SIR—I have the honor to submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1899.

During the past year I have prosecuted sixteen liquor cases, fourteen of which the Court found guilty on the evidence, and the other two were found not guilty, one on a technical point of law and the other on account of a witness swearing falsely. This witness was afterward prosecuted for perjury. Two for illegal transportation; two for violation of the so-called "Faxon law".

I have endeavored to keep pace with the illegal rum-seller and it has kept me busy.

I thank you and the officers who have helped me, also certain other persons outside of the police department who have aided me in enforcing the law, and especially Mr. Henry H. Faxon, for advice and assistance.

Number of warrants issued for prosecuting liquor cases,	21
Number of warrants issued to search for liquor, . . .	9
Number of warrants issued to search and serve, . . .	7
Number of places where liquors were found, . . .	7
Forfeitures,	7
Fined,	11
Liquors returned,	0
Paid fines,	8
Appeals,	5
Appeals prosecuted for nuisance,	7
Prosecutions for illegal sales,	8
Convicted in lower court,	14
Convicted in Superior court,	4
Discharged in lower court,	2
Discharged in Superior court,	0
Committed for non-payment of fines,	1
Cases placed on file,	3
Paid fines in Superior court,	3
Cases pending in Superior court,	2
Prosecutions for illegal transportation,	2

The amount of stolen property recovered
and returned to the owners, . . . \$4,443 15

The greater part of the above was jewelry, and in most of the cases the thieves have been caught and prosecuted. I have had a great deal of criminal work to attend to during the past year, and it seems to be increasing every year as the population increases and the city grows. There is work enough to keep two officers busy all the time. I have given all day and part of the night to the work, and even then I cannot attend to it as I would like.

Respectfully yours,
DANIEL R. McKAY,
Inspector of Police.

Fire Department.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

In compliance with the requirements of the City Ordinances, I hereby present my fifth annual report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1899, containing a statement of all fires and alarms for the year, the loss and insurance on the same as far as could be ascertained, the list of the permanent force of the department and their ages, also a schedule of the property under their charge.

Organization.

The force consists of one chief and six assistant engineers, ten permanent and sixty call men. Combination No. 1, at Central Fire Station has one permanent and eleven call men; Hook & Ladder, No. 1, has one permanent and twelve call men; Hose No. 2, has one permanent and five call men; Hose No. 3, has one permanent and six call men; Hose No. 4, has one permanent and six call men; Hose No. 5, has ten call men; Combination, No. 2, has one permanent and nine call men.

Officers.

Frank C. Packard, Ward 1.
Daniel J. Ford, Ward 2.
Welcome J. Blake, Ward 3.
James F. Rooney, Ward 4.
Marcena R. Sparrow, Ward 5.
John H. O'Brien, Ward 6.

Apparatus.

The apparatus of the department consists of one steam fire engine in fair condition, two combination chemical engines, one

combination ladder truck, six hose wagons, two hose reels, one express wagon for fire alarm purposes; also one chemical engine and one hand engine not in service. The department has been increased the past year by the purchasing of a new combination ladder truck, built by Charles T. Hollaway & Co., Baltimore, Md. This is one of the best pieces of apparatus we have in the city. It carries two 35-gallon chemical tanks of the latest pattern, and an equipment of 306 feet of ladders. I would also recommend putting the old truck at West Quincy in service with a company of eleven men, one to be permanent; also the purchase of a pair of horses and harnesses for the same.

Hose.

We have in the service 9,000 feet of cotton hose, rubber lined; 5,000 feet is in good condition, 2,000 feet is in fair condition, 2,000 feet is in poor condition. I believe the department should be kept well supplied with hose in case of emergency. The life of hose is two years, after that it is liable to burst when heavy pressure is put on. I will call the attention of the Council to placing more hydrants on old line of pipes, as it will give better fire protection also saving the city a great deal of money in using shorter lines of hose.

Fire Alarm.

The fire alarm service has been increased the past year by adding seven boxes, several miles of wire have been rebuilt, the number three circuit has been cut up and rebuilt, and with the addition of new wires will complete a circuit called No. 5. We have as near as can be ascertained seventy miles of fire alarm wire to keep in good working order. This branch of the service needs the greatest attention so when boxes are pulled they will work.

Electrical Appliances.

Six circuit repeater, 6 lightning arresters, 7 Galvanometer 1 switchboard for automatic repeater, 1 quartered oak switchboard and seven switches, 1 circuit breaker, 6 resistance coils, 8 lamps, 5 automatic protectors, 206 cells of battery of the grid type element, 1 eighteen inch gong and indicator, 75 miles of wire out on lines, 60 boxes, 1 Stevens automatic whistle on Eagle

Polishing mill, 1 Gamewell automatic whistle on Tubular rivet factory, 4 Gamewell strikers on churches, 1 Gamewell striker on Hose No. 3 house, 1 Stevens striker stored in Combination No. 2 House ; Hose No. 2 has 12-inch Gamewell gong, Chemichal No. 2 has 12-inch Gamewell gong, Hose No. 3 has 6-inch Gamewell gong, Hose No. 4 has 6-inch Gamewell gong, Chief Williams an 18-inch gong, Engineer Packard a 16-inch gong, Engineer Sparrow 6-inch Stevens gong, Engineer Ford a gong, Quincy Electric Light & Power Co. a 16-inch Stevens gong, Quincy & Boston Power house a 12-inch Gamewell gong, Tubular Rivet a 12-inch Gamewell gong, George T. Magee 6 inch private gong, William Marden 6 inch private gong, three 6-inch gongs (2 Stevens and 1 Gamewell) and two tappers stored in Central Fire Station.

Horses.

The number of horses in the fire department owned by the city is sixteen. We have in the department five horses whose ages range from eighteen to twenty-four, too old by a number of years for fire department purposes, and will have to be replaced the present year.

Recommendations.

I would also recommend proper ventilation for Central Fire Station and the Combination house in Ward Six, as ventilation is very poor for men who sleep in the building. This matter should be attended to at once. I would also recommend the building of a house at Wollaston the present year on the land recently purchased by the city, as the old house on Winthrop avenue is in poor condition. It is not advisable to spend any more money on present building. During the past year the department has been kept very busy answering alarms. There has been 80 per cent. more alarms the past year than any previous years, and much credit is due the department for its promptness in responding.

Conclusion.

In closing this report, I desire to tender my sincere thanks to His Honor the Mayor, for his interest in the welfare of the department, to the Council for all favors rendered me during the year, to City Auditor and Treasurer for all favors rendered, to

Chief of Police and officers for the manner they performed their duties at fires, to the Committee on Fire Department for the interest they have manifested in the business of the department, to my associates of the Board of Engineers, and to the officers and members for the prompt and efficient manner in which they discharged their duties, thereby maintaining the reputation of the department for efficiency.

Permanent Force.

Charles P. Costa, age 52,	Engineman.
Michael P. Barry, age 38,	Assistant Engineman.
Henry T. Brown, age 40,	Driver Engine.
William A. Gavin, age 40,	Superintendent Fire Alarm.
Lawrence P. Garrity, age 45,	Driver H. & L. No. 1.
Charles C. Weeks, age 43,	Driver Combination No. 1
Faxon Billings, age 29,	Driver Combination No. 2.
James F. Morrissey, age 36,	Driver Hose No. 2.
Jeremiah Lyons, age 44,	Driver Hose No. 3.
Alfred L. Meade, age 31,	Driver Hose No. 4.

Fires and Alarms 1899.

During the year beginning Jan. 1st, and ending December 31st, 1899, there were 153 alarms,—95 bell and 58 still alarms.

Value of property at risk, \$415,379.53.

Insurance on property at risk, \$259,590.00.

Loss on property, \$64,345.33.

Loss by Chief Packard, \$9,084.30, Jan. 1st, to Feb. 5th, 1899.

Loss by Chief Williams, \$55,261.03, Feb. 5th, 1899, to Jan. 1st, 1900.

FIRE RECORD.

In this list of fires each fire is numbered, and a second table follows on page 237 which gives by those numbers the value, damage, and insurance, both on the buildings and contents :

1. Jan. 1, 5 A. M., still alarm, Copeland st., dwelling house, owner Richard D. Chase, occupant R. C. Allen; cause explosion; loss \$126.80.
2. Jan. 9, 7.55 P. M., Box 52, Fayette st., dwelling, owner

- Samuel Brown, occupant Charles R. Brown ; cause lamp exploded ; loss \$800.
3. Jan. 13, 9 A. M., still alarm, Bigelow st., dwelling, owner Mrs. M. H. Howe, occupant W. E. Howe ; cause furnace ; loss \$5.
 4. Jan. 24, 7.50 P. M., Box 171, Union st., factory of the Old Colony Boot & Shoe Co.; no damage.
 5. Jan. 29, 9.20 P. M., Box 49, Wittick place, dwelling unoccupied, owner Adolph Wittick ; cause incendiary ; loss \$50.
 6. Feb. 1, 9.40 A. M., Box 72, Washington st., dwelling, owner Herbert M. Federhen ; cause unknown ; loss \$6,500.
 7. Jan. 21, 8 P. M., still alarm, Wollaston, dwelling, owner Dr. Adams ; cause lamp exploded ; loss \$33.50.
 8. Jan. 18, still alarm, Coddington st., dwelling, owner H. Spear ; cause lamp exploded ; loss \$20.
 9. Jan. 29, 11 A. M., still alarm, Howard ave., dwelling, owner Mrs. Seth Arnold ; cause accident ; loss \$40.
 10. Feb. 5, 9.50 A. M., still alarm, Water st., dwelling, no damage ; cause unknown.
 11. Feb. 5, 1.15 P. M., still alarm, School st., store, owner Baxter heirs, occupant L. M. Pratt & Co., no damage ; cause unknown.
 12. Feb. 2, 7.58 P. M., Putnam st., dwelling, owner Lyman E. Peters ; cause overheated furnace ; loss \$1,509.
 13. Feb. 20, 2.45 A. M., Box 23, 28 Foster st., dwelling, owner George Hitchcock ; cause electric wires ; loss \$2,200.
 14. March 2, 5.55 A. M., Box 47, Grove st., engine house, owner Townsend & Clements, occupied by John Reinhalter ; cause unknown ; loss \$10.
 15. March 17, 12.10 P. M., Box 56, Beale st., school house, owner City of Quincy ; cause overheated furnace ; loss \$10.
 16. March 17, 6.15 P. M., still alarm, Sea st., dwelling, owner Michael Cook, occupant John Parker ; cause chimney.
 17. March 30, 3.20 P. M., Box 37, Water st., dwelling, owner Charles Ratti, occupant, Mrs. H. Burke ; cause frying fat ; loss \$15.
 18. March 25, still alarm, Washington st., dwelling, owner Mary O. S. Kent, occupant Mrs. John A. Pratt ; cause hot ashes ; loss \$20.

19. April 1, 11.20 A. M., still alarm, Beale st., grass fire, no damage.
20. April 5, 4 P. M., Box 74, Washington st., grass fire, no damage.
21. April 7, 11 A. M., Box 53, Belmont st., grass and woods, no damage.
22. April 7, 1.20 A. M., Box 32, Penns Hill, stable, owner John Curtis, 2d ; cause bonfire ; loss \$525.
23. April 8, 7.05 P. M., Box 21, Gass place, dwelling, owner heirs of Philiman Gass, occupant Thomas McLaughlin ; cause bonfire ; loss \$5.
24. April 12, 11.50 A. M., still alarm, Edison st., sailing boat, owner Arthur T. Reed ; cause grass fire ; loss \$40.
25. April 15, 1.05 P. M., Box 72, Washington st., grass fire.
26. April 15, 4.20 P. M., Box 32, Penns hill, grass fire.
27. April 17, 8.10 P. M., still alarm, Billings road, grass fire.
28. April 18, 10.15 P. M., still alarm, Hancock street, tool house, owner, City of Quincy, Merry Mount Park ; cause grass fire ; loss \$100.
29. April 19, 10.35 A. M., Box 42, Clark's ave., dwelling, owner Barnabas Clark, occupant Richard Roache ; cause unknown ; loss \$15.
30. April 19, 12.50 P. M., Box 45, Willard st., dwelling, owner Mrs. A. McGilvary ; cause unknown ; loss \$18.
31. April 19, 3 P. M., still alarm, Elmwood ave., woods fire.
32. April 22, 12.30 P. M., still alarm, New road, brush fire.
33. April 22, 9.30 P. M., still alarm, Fenno st., brush fire.
34. April 22, 11.45 A. M., still alarm, Franklin st., brush fire.
35. April 23, 5.07 P. M., Box 58, Beale st., woods fire.
36. April 23, 2.30 P. M., still alarm, Mt. Pleasant, woods fire.
37. April 25, 1.30 P. M., still alarm, Mt. Pleasant, woods fire.
38. April 27, 6.37 A. M., Box 47, Grove st., dwelling, owner Elizabeth Quinn ; cause chimney.
39. April 28, 2.20 P. M., Box 46, Cross st., dwelling, owner Charles A. Hayes ; cause spontaneous combustion ; loss \$1.00.
40. April 28, 8 P. M., still alarm, Norfolk Downs, brush fire.
41. April 28, 3.28 P. M., Box 41, Packard's lane, dwelling, owner heirs of James Ryan ; cause bonfire ; loss \$32.

42. April 29, 1 P. M., still alarm, Standish ave., brush fire.
43. April 29, 2.50 P. M., Box 47, Grove st., brush fire.
44. May 1, 7.35 P. M., Box 138, Jackson lane, woods fire.
45. May 5, 8.15 P. M., still alarm, Independence ave., woods fire.
46. May 6, 3.30 P. M., still alarm, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., railroad ties ; cause sparks from locomotive ; loss \$5.
47. May 6, 2.25 P. M., Box 173, Quincy ave., brush fire.
48. May 6, 2.40 P. M., Box 32, Independence ave., woods fire.
49. May 6, 3.45 P. M., still alarm, off School st., rubbish.
50. May 8, 8.15 P. M., Box 45, Hall place, grass fire.
51. May 20, 9.20 P. M., Box 172 Quincy ave., carriage manufactory, owner S. Scammell ; cause incendiary ; loss \$3,150.
52. May 22, 1.55 A. M., Box 72, Point Holes, boat house, owner Charles L. Prescott ; cause unknown ; loss \$350.
53. May 22, 2.15 P. M., Box 61, Montclair, dwelling, owner Bart. Marshall ; loss \$2,000.
54. May 25, 12.05 A. M., Box 46, Crescent st., dwelling, owners heirs of Robert Smith, occupied by Frank Kelley ; cause unknown ; loss \$550.
55. May 26, 3.40 A. M., Box 151, Hampden Circle, Norfolk Downs, dwelling, unoccupied, owner Quincy Savings Bank ; cause supposed incendiary ; loss \$478.
56. May 26, 1.25 P. M., Box 71, Washington st., henhouse, owner John H. Dinegan, no damage ; cause unknown.
57. May 31, 3.40 P. M., still alarm, Pine st., Wollaston, grass fire, no damage.
58. May 31, still alarm Newbury ave., Atlantic, grass fire, no damage.
59. May 31, still alarm, Squantum st., Atlantic, grass fire, no damage.
60. May 31, still alarm, Clive st., Atlantic, grass fire, no damage.
61. May 31, still alarm, Newbury ave., grass fire, no damage.
62. June 2, 2.48 P. M., Box 23, Granite st., steam laundry, owner Quincy Real Estate Trust ; cause boiler.
63. June 2, Box 171, Baxter st., spectacle cases, Belting Co., owner William B. White ; cause spontaneous combustion.
64. June 6, 12.40 P. M., Box 51, Hancock st., grass fire.
65. June 6, 3.30 P. M., still alarm Hancock Street bridge.

66. June 7, 5.30 P. M., Box 171, Union st., Old Colony Boot and Shoe Co.; cause unknown; no damage.
67. June 12, 11.50 A. M., Box 43, Hall place, grass fire.
68. June 14, 4.30 P. M., Box 43, grass fire.
69. June 15, 8.40 P. M., Box 23, Hancock st., Music hall and stores, owner, Quincy Real estate and Trust Co.; cause gas-meter; loss \$3075.
70. June 19, 1.45 P. M., Box 171, Elm st., stable, owner Jruska G. Miller, occupant A. W. Thompson; cause unknown; loss \$40.
71. June 20, 5.35 P. M., still alarm, Gilbert st., dwelling, owner John Powers; cause lightning stroke; loss \$90.
72. June 29, 4.30 P. M., Box, 138, Liberty st., stick of timber and grass; cause unknown; no damage.
73. June 30, 8.20 A. M., Box 37, Franklin place, dwelling owner, Charles H. Spear, occupants Alex. Robertson and James Roche; cause sparks from locomotive; loss \$800.
74. July 1, 6 A. M., still alarm, Granite st., dwelling, owner Francis Veazie; cause chimney; loss \$5.
75. July 2, 10.28 P. M., Box 37, Pearl st., dwelling, owner Thomas Whicher, occupant Dennis Donahue; cause oil-stove; loss \$3.
76. July 4, 12 P. M., still alarm, Granite st., grass fire.
77. July 4, 12.55 A. M., Box 41, School st., dwelling, unoccupied, owner Mrs. Mary Lawton; cause incendiary; loss \$20.
78. July 4, 2.10 A. M., Box 23, Hancock st., water closet, owner James H. Stetson; cause unknown; loss \$15.
79. July 4, 3.52, A. M., Box 56, Central ave., Wollaston, stable, owner Isabella M. Reeve, occupant Mrs. W. J. Thompson; cause incendiary; loss \$120.
80. July 4, 10.35 A. M., Box 63, Old Colony st., dwelling, owner Mrs. Ellen Granahan; cause fireworks; loss \$72.
81. July 4, 4.05 P. M., Box 171 Newcomb place, stable owner John Bergfors; cause smoking; loss \$175.
82. July 4, 8.52 P. M., Box 49, Willard st., dwelling, owner Michael Owens; cause fireworks; loss \$10.
83. July 4, 8.55 P. M., Box 49, Willard st., false alarm.
84. July 4, 9 P. M., Adams st., railroad ties N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.; cause unknown; loss \$5.

85. July 4, 2.15 P. M., still alarm, Atlantic st., fence and grass, no damage.
86. July 4, 11.30 P. M., still alarm, Washington st., grass fire no damage.
87. July 4, 9 A. M., still alarm, Washington st., stable, owner John R. Graham, no damage.
88. July 4, 8.40 P. M., still alarm, Willard st., dwelling, owner John Coyle; cause fireworks; no damage,
89. July 5, 2.50 A. M., Box 42, Kidder st., dwelling, unoccupied, owners William Williams and James B. Fletcher; cause supposed incendiary; loss \$1,125.
90. July 5, 9.03 A. M., Box 39, Liberty st., false alarm.
91. July 5, 3 P. M., still alarm, Atlantic st., grass fire.
92. July 5, 10 A. M., still alarm, Atlantic st., fence and grass fire.
93. July 7, 3.54 P. M., Box 36, Jackson place, cow barn; owner Alex D. McGregor; cause overheated hay; loss \$90.
94. July 7, 10 A. M., still alarm, Edison st., boat, owner H. E. Reed; cause unknown; loss \$40.
95. July 8, 7.55 A. M., still alarm, Phipps st., fence, owner City of Quincy; cause unknown; loss \$5.
96. July 10, 8.30 P. M., Box 29, Newport ave., railroad ties, owner N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.; loss \$5.
97. July 11, 12.35 A. M., Newport ave.; railroad ties, owner N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.; loss \$5.
98. July 18, 12.30 A. M., Box 61, Hancock st., dwelling, owned by William A. Hodges; cause unknown; loss \$175.
99. July 20, 10.35 P. M., Box 75, North st., dwelling, owner William Farquharson; cause lamp exploded; loss \$350.
100. July 21, 1.05 P. M., Box 138, stick of timber, no damage.
101. July 24, 10.15 A. M., still alarm, School st., railroad ties; cause sparks from locomotive.
102. July 24, 7.30 P. M., still alarm, Atlantic st., rubbish, owner Dr. Kendall.
103. July 31, 1.50 A. M., Box 27, Washington st., bakery, occupied by Ring Bros., owner Harriet S. Bent; cause unknown; loss \$1,498.03.
104. July 5, 7 A. M., still alarm, dwelling, occupied by Alphonso Sulloe, owner Johanna Dell; cause oil stove; loss \$3.
105. July 13, 7.20 P. M., still alarm, Hancock st., dwelling, owner

- Jane Hanson; cause lace curtain coming in contact with gas get; loss \$16.
106. Aug. 1, 12.40 A. M., box 43, Copeland st., boot and shoe store, owner Patrick Cain; cause incendiary; loss \$900.
 107. Aug. 2, 10.20 P. M., still alarm, Beach st., dwelling, owner William F. Stedman; cause gasoline stove; loss \$105.
 108. Aug. 8, still alarm, Park st., Wollaston, dwelling, owner Ruth R. Litchfield, occupant George H. Page; cause oil stove; loss \$20.
 109. Aug. 14, 5.50 A. M., box 446, Crescent st., dwelling, owner Barnabas Clark, unoccupied; cause incendiary; loss \$50.
 110. Aug. 17, 10.45 A. M., box 27, Washington st., dwelling, owner Mrs. Harvey, occupant George H. Hardwick; cause oil stove; loss \$25.
 111. Aug. 17, 11.45 A. M., box 76, Washington st., dwelling, owner J. F. Sheppard & Sons, occupant A. D. Bodou; cause spontaneous combustion.
 112. Aug. 18, 12.50 P. M., box 74, North st., stable and sheds, owner H. H. Faxon, occupant Miles Abrasan; cause unknown; loss \$1,436.
 113. Aug. 19, 5.10 A. M., box 172, New road, dwelling, unoccupied, owner Rebecca P. Eaton; cause incendiary; loss \$25.
 114. Aug. 23, 8.05 A. M., box 52, Highland ave., dwelling, owner N. G. Nickerson, occupant E. L. Higgins; cause oil stove; loss \$145.
 115. Aug. 23, 10.25 A. M., box 74, North st., dwelling, owner J. W. Wilbur, occupied by Peter Gurney; cause unknown; loss \$100.
 116. Aug. 27, 9.40 P. M., box 46, Copeland st., dwelling, owner Alice R. Kelley; cause unknown; loss \$135.
 117. Aug. 30, 12.03 P. M., box 32, Payne st., dwelling, owner James Brogan; cause oil stove; loss \$846.
 118. Sept. 3, 1.32 A. M., box 49, Bunker Hill ave., dwelling, unoccupied, owner Michael Shea; cause incendiary; loss \$260.
 119. Sept. 3, 8.40 P. M., box 49, Bunker Hill ave., dwelling, unoccupied, owner Michael Shea; same building; incendiary.
 120. Sept. 3, 10.10 P. M., box 45, Hall place, dwelling, owner Michael Riley; cause lightning stroke; loss \$100.

121. Sept. 4, 12.06 P. M., box 27, Elm st., dwelling, owner F. K. Damon; cause gasoline stove; loss \$1.55.
122. Sept. 6, 1.33 P. M., box 23, Hancock st., paint shop, owners heirs of C. P. Tirrell; cause sparks from bonfire; loss \$40.
123. Sept. 10, 11.30 A. M., still alarm, Beale st., grass fire.
124. Sept. 13, 7.55 P. M., box 446, Common st., water closet, owner Thomas J. Lamb; cause incendiary; loss \$25.
125. Sept. 17, 12.20 A. M., still alarm, West st., unoccupied stone shed; no damage.
126. Sept. 17, 10.45 A. M., still alarm, Canal st.; no damage.
127. Oct. 11, 3.20 A. M., box 12, Palmer st., Germantown, dwelling, unoccupied, owner George H. Field; cause unknown; loss \$1,513.
128. Oct. 29, 2.10 A. M., box 75, New road, dwelling, unoccupied, owner Rebecca P. Eaton; cause incendiary; loss \$50.
129. Nov. 1, 7.10 A. M., box 56, Beale st., hotel and stores, owner Fred L. Merrill, occupant E. E. Thomas, paint shop; cause gasoline; loss \$112.
130. Nov. 4, 5.28 P. M., box 43, Copeland st., false alarm.
131. Nov. 4, 5.50 P. M., box 172, off Water st., bonfire.
132. Nov. 5, 5.03 A. M., box 25, Brackett st., dwelling, owner heirs of Patrick McDonnell, occupant William Savage; cause supposed a lighted lamp tipped over; loss \$325.
133. Nov. 10, 3.45 P. M., box 32, Penns hill, repair shop, owned by A. C. Pettee; cause heating tar; loss \$33.
134. Nov. 14, 3.56 P. M., still alarm, School street, railroad ties; cause sparks from locomotive; loss \$5.
135. Nov. 16, 6.30 P. M., box 32, Franklin st., dwelling, owner Mrs. Sarah Kincaide; cause lamp exploded; loss \$20.
136. Nov. 30, 12.22 A. M., box 138, false alarm.
137. Dec. 3, 1 A. M., still alarm, Hancock st., dwelling, owner Jane Hanson, occupant George T. Magee; cause lighted match thrown in lace curtain; loss \$15.
138. Dec. 4, 3.05 P. M., box 23, Cottage ave., dwelling, owner Fallon & Sons, occupant Mrs. Roache; cause overheated stove; loss \$10.
139. Dec. 7, 1.25 A. M., box 26, followed by general alarm, Washington st., car barn and office Quincy & Boston Street Railway; cause unknown; loss \$27,100.

140. Dec. 7, 6.30 A. M., still alarm, Washington st., Quincy & Boston Street Railway, no damage.
141. Dec. 7, 1.25 A. M., dwelling, owned H. H. Faxon, occupied Eva M. Brown; caused by fire at Quincy & Boston car barn; loss \$126.
142. Dec. 11, 8.20 P. M., box 171, Union st., false alarm.
143. Dec. 14, 8.23 A. M., box 37, Water st., blacksmith shop, owner Grace Spear, occupant William Lillie; caused by sparks from chimney; loss \$5.80.
144. Dec. 14, 10.12 A. M., box 28, Hancock st., dwelling, owner John Swithin; cause unknown; loss \$135.
145. Dec. 14, 11.30 A. M., still alarm, Franklin st., brush fire.
146. Dec. 17, 8.30 A. M., box 26, Hancock st., dwelling, owner Mrs. Fannie Taylor, occupants Charles C. Hearn and Dr. Hallowell; cause overheated furnace; loss \$2,361.15.
147. Dec. 18, 2.45 A. M., box 171, Main st., dwelling, owner William Harkins, occupant William Norrie; cause overheated furnace pipe; loss \$152.50.
148. Dec. 20, 4.31 P. M., box 23, Granite st., steam laundry, owner Quincy Real Estate Trust Co., occupant Morrison & Ellsworth; caused by gasoline; loss \$1,624.
149. Dec. 20, 7.15 P. M., box 138, Gilbert st., dwelling, owner William Delory, occupant Daniel Dawson; caused by sparks from pipe in closet; loss \$194.
150. Dec. 24, 4.33 P. M., box 52, Farrington st., false alarm.
151. Dec. 26, box 45, Hall place, dwelling, owner John Carey; cause chimney.
152. Dec. 18, 7.50 A. M., still alarm, Washington st., dwelling, owner Henry E. Hardwick; cause spontaneous combustion.
153. Dec. 27, 6 P. M., still alarm, Newport ave., dwelling, owner Mary F. Taylor; cause kerosene lamp exploded; loss \$5.

FIRE LOSSES.

This summary gives the value, damage and insurance, both on building and contents, at each fire during the year 1899. Each fire is numbered according to the list of fires on pages 228 to 236 inclusive, which gives date, hour, box, street, building, owner, occupant, cause and total loss :

No. Fire.	BUILDINGS.				CONTENTS.			
	Value.	Damage.	Insurance.	Insurance Paid.	Value.	Damage.	Insurance.	Insurance Paid.
1,	\$1,500	\$106.80	\$1,200		\$1,000	\$20	\$700	
2,	3,000	550	2,300		1,000	250	0	
3,	2,500	0	2,500		2,000	5	2,000	
4,								
5,	1,000	50	850		0	0	0	
6,	8,000	4,500	5,050		4,000	2,000	1,500	
7,	0	0	0		0	33.50	1,000	
8,	0	0	0		0	20	0	
9,	3,000	10	0		2,000	30	0	
10,								
11,								
12,	3,800	1,434	2,500		75	0	0	
13,	7,000	1,050	4,000		2,500	1,150	2,100	
14,	1,000	10	0		0	0	0	
15,	8,000	10	0		0	0	0	
16,	1,100	0	0		0	0	0	
17,	1,500	10	1,000		200	5	0	
18,	2,000	0	0		1,000	20	500	
19,								
20,								
21,								
22,	500	500	300	300	25	25	50	25
23,	800	5	0		250	0	0	
24,	40	40						
25,								
26,								
27,								
28,	100	100	0		0	0	0	
29,	2,000	15	1,600	15	150	0	0	
30,	2,500	18	1,600	18	600	0	300	
31,								

No. Fire.	—BUILDINGS.—				—CONTENTS.—			
	Value.	Damage.	Insurance.	Insurance Paid.	Value.	Damage.	Insurance.	Insurance Paid.
32,								
33,								
34,								
35,								
36,								
37,								
38,	\$800	0	\$700		0	0	0	
39,	2,800	\$1	0		\$3,000	0	\$2,500	
40,								
41,	1,000	32	600	32	225	0	200	
42,								
43,								
44,								
45,								
46,	0	5	0		0	0	0	
47,								
48,								
49,								
50,								
51,	1,900	1,350	1,000		3,000	1,800	1,600	
52,	300	100	200		250	250	140	
53,	1,000	1,000	700		1,000	1,000	500	
54,	2,000	500	1,700		200	50	0	
55,	3,000	478	2,500	478	0	0	0	
56,								
57,								
58,								
59,								
60,								
61,								
62,	150	0	0		500	0	0	
63,	7,000	0	0		0	0	0	
64,								
65,								
66,								
67,								
68,								

No. Fire.	BUILDINGS.				CONTENTS.			
	Value.	Damage.	Insurance. Paid.	Insurance Paid.	Value.	Damage.	Insurance Paid.	Insurance Paid.
69,	\$20,000	\$475	\$16,000	\$475				
	John H. Gillis, occupant,				\$600	\$500	0	
	W. H. Brasee, occupant,				12,000	500	\$9,500	\$500
	Quincy Clothing Co., occupant,				6,473	1,600	5,000	1,600
70,	300	25	0		75	15	0	
71,	3,000	80	1,900	80	400	10	0	
72,								
73,	1,200	600	1,200	600				
	Alex Robertson, occupant,				800	100	0	
	James Roche, occupant,				300	100	0	
74,	1,500	5	1,000	5	1,000	0	700	
75,	0	0	0		500	3	0	
76,								
77,	600	20	700		0	0	0	
78,	30	15	0		0	0	0	
79,	200	100	0		25	20	0	
80,	1,800	62	1,200	62	800	10	400	10
81,	450	150	300	150	150	25	0	
82,	3,000	10	3,000	10	3,000	0	2,000	
83,								
84,	0	0	0		5	0	0	
85,								
86,								
87,								
88,								
89,	1,500	1,125	1,300	1,125	0	0	0	
90,								
91,								
92,								
93,	300	74	200	74	16	16	0	
94,	40	40	0		0	0	0	
95,	50	5	0		0	0	0	
96,	0	5	0		0	5	0	
97,	0	0	0		0	0	0	
98,	4,000	175	3,000		0	0	0	
99,	1,000	300	1,000		1,000	50	0	
100,								

No. Fire.	BUILDINGS.				CONTENTS.			
	Value.	Damage.	Insurance.	Insurance Paid.	Value.	Damage.	Insurance	Insurance Paid.
101,								
102,								
103,	\$3,500	\$650.53	\$1,500	\$650.53		\$847	\$1,500	
104,	2,250	3	1,000		0	0	0	
105,	3,000	0	2,200		1,200	16	1,000	\$16
106,		243.75	300	243.75		656.25	700	656.25
107,	2,500	100	2,000		400	5	0	
108,	9,500	10	7,000	10	2,500	10	2,500	10
109,	600	50	1,200		0	0	0	
110,	2,000	10	0		1,000	15	0	
111,	400	0	400		125	0	0	
112,	2,300	836	2,500	836	800	600	0	
113,	200	25	0		0	0	0	
114,	3,000	100	2,300	100	1,700	45	1,000	45
115,	800	75	400		300	25	300	
116,	2,000	75	1,000	75	1,500	60	300	
117,	2,000	555	1,600	555	800	291	500	291
118,	425	260	300	260	0	0	0	
119,								
120,	2,850	100	2,000		0	0	0	
121,	3,000	1.55	2,500		0	0	0	
122,	800	20	1,000		2,000	20	500	
123,								
124,	25	25	0		0	0	0	
125,								
126,								
127,	2,000	1,313	1,800		3,000	200	0	
128,	50	50	0		0	0	0	
129,	12,000	0	10,000		1,500	112	1,000	
130,								
131,								
132,	500	275	300	275	100	50	0	
133,	25	25	0		10	8	0	
134,	0	0	0		5	0	0	
135,	4,000	3	1,200	3	1,700	17	1,000	17
136,								
137,	0	0	0		1,500	15	1,000	

No. Fire.	BUILDINGS.				CONTENTS.			
	Value.	Damage.	Insurance.	Insurance Paid.	Value.	Damage.	Insurance.	Insurance Paid.
138,	0	\$10	0		\$75	0	0	
139,	\$16,000	6,100	14,000	\$6,100	78,000	\$21,000	\$48,000	
140,								
141,	1,200	126	1,000	126	500	0	0	
142,								
143,	300	5.80	300		0	0	0	
144,	3,500	110	3,000	110	1,200	25	1,000	\$25
145,								
146,	5,500	900	4,500	900	3,000	1,461.15	2,000	1,461.15
147,	3,000	112.50	1,500	112.50	600	40	0	
148,	0	399			2,500	1,000	1,200	
149,	2,200	74	2,000	74	500	120	300	120
150,								
151,	1,250	0	1,000		0	0	0	
152,	20,000	0	15,000		5,000	0	3,500	
153,	4,000	3	2,000	3	3,000	2	1,000	

FIRE ALARM—Location of Signal Boxes.

Box.

12. Palmer street, near H. C. Weeden's, Germantown.
13. Corner Shelton road and Sea street.
14. Hose No. 5 house, Houghs Neck.
19. Corner Chestnut street and Revere road.
21. Corner Whitwell and Granite streets.
23. Hancock street, near Hall's stable.
24. Whitwell street, near City Hospital.
25. Corner Newcomb and Canal streets.
26. Unitarian Church, opposite City Hall.
27. Corner Elm and Washington streets.
28. Corner Greenleaf and Hancock streets.
29. Corner Butler road and Putnam street.
31. Phipps street, near Payne street.
32. Corner Independence avenue and Franklin street.
35. Corner Hancock and School streets.
36. Junction Pleasant and Quincy streets.
37. Corner Franklin and Water streets.

- 38. Corner Liberty and Plain streets.
- 39. Corner Penn and Liberty streets.
- 138. Corner Brooks road and Centre street.
- 41. Corner School and Granite streets.
- 42. Corner Copeland and Granite streets.
- 43. Corner Common and Copeland streets.
- 45. Corner Crescent and Willard streets.
- 46. Copeland street, opposite Woodward's shop.
- 47. Corner Bates avenue and Grove street.
- 48. Corner Robertson and Willard streets.
- 49. Corner Doble and Willard streets.
- 441. Smith street, rear C. H. Hardwick's on Quarry street.
- 442. Quarry street, near G. H. Hitchcock's office.
- 443. Corner Hayden and West streets.
- 445. Corner Quarry and Common streets.
- 446. Opposite Willard school, Copeland street.
- 51. Tubular Rivet Factory.
- 52. Junction Elmwood avenue and Farrington street.
- 53. Junction Winthrop and Warren avenues.
- 54. Corner Fenno and Hancock streets.
- 56. Beale street, opposite Wollaston Hotel.
- 57. Corner Beach and Willow streets.
- 58. Corner Beale and Adams streets.
- 59. Corner Beale street and Central avenue.
- 151. Corner Billings road and Beach street.
- 152. Corner Billings and Rawson roads.
- 153. Wollaston avenue, near Sailors' Home.
- 61. Junction Squantum and Hancock streets.
- 62. Corner Atlantic and Hancock streets.
- 63. Hancock street, near Atlantic depot.
- 64. Corner Billings street and Newbury avenue.
- 65. Corner Faxon road and Squantum street.
- 67. Corner Atlantic and Squantum streets.
- 68. Squantum.
- 71. Corner Mill and Washington streets.
- 72. Washington street, opposite church, Quincy Point.
- 73. Corner Winter and Howard streets.
- 74. Corner River and Washington streets.
- 75. Corner Main and Sumner streets.

- 76. Washington street, opposite C Patch & Son
 - 76. Duplicate, Power House, Quincy & Boston Street Railway.
 - 171. Whicher's factory, Union street.
 - 172. Corner Glencoe place and New road.
 - 173. Newcomb square, Quincy avenue.
 - 174. Junction North and South streets.
 - 718. Private, Johnson's lumber yard.
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QUINCY FIRE DEPARTMENT RUNNING RULES.

Engine Co. No. 1, Combination Co. No. 1, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, will respond to all Boxes on First Alarms.

Hose Co. No. 1 will respond to any Box if pulled while Central Fire Station apparatus is answering another alarm. General Alarm,—Boxes 12 and 14 excluded.

Hose Co. No. 2 will respond on First Alarms to Boxes 13, 19, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 151, 152, 153, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68. General Alarm,—All Boxes.

Hose Co. No. 3 will respond on First Alarms to Boxes 31, 32, 36, 37, 38, 39, 138, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 58, 441, 442, 443, 445, 446. General Alarm,—Boxes 12, 14, 68 excluded.

Hose Co. No. 4 will respond on First Alarms to Boxes 13, 19, 23, 25, 26, 27, 35, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 76 duplicate, 171, 172, 173, 174, 718. General Alarm,—Box 68 excluded.

Hose Co. No. 5 will respond on First Alarms to Boxes 12 and 14.

Combination Co. No. 2 will respond on First Alarms to Boxes 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 59, 151, 152, 153, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68. General Alarm,—Boxes 12 and 14 excluded.

Apparatus not responding to a Box when pulled, will respond to any Box if pulled before recall, except Combination Co. No. 2, and Hose Co. No. 3 will not respond to Boxes 12 and 14, and Hose Co. No. 4 will not respond to Box 68, except by special call.

Signals.

General Alarm, Twelve (12) blows, followed by Box number.

Special Call, Nine (9) blows, followed by Box number.

Recall, Two (2) blows.

Chief Engineer's Call, Three (3) blows.

Fire Alarm Test, One (1) blow, 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.

No School, 2-2 three times.

Military Call, Four (4) three times.

Seven (7) blows, signal for Electric Light Co. to shut off current.

Police Call, Three (3) blows three times.

Lost Child Call, Five blows (5) twice, assistance asked, report at Police Station.

Superintendent of Water Works Call, Six (6) blows.

Curfew Law, Two (2) blows, 8.55 P. M.

For brush and grass fires, send word by telephone or otherwise, to the nearest Fire Station.

Out of city calls: Braintree, 132; Weymouth, 135; Milton, 158; Boston, 162.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER J. WILLIAMS,

Chief Engineer, Quincy Fire Department.

Report of Overseer of the Poor.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

The appropriation for this department for the year 1899 was \$9,500.00, in addition to which it was necessary to ask for an additional sum of \$1,500.00, thus making a total of \$11,000.00. This, to the casual observer, might appear as a case of "exceeding the appropriation," and conclusions might be drawn which would be entirely erroneous : but, upon careful consideration, it will be found that the causes were such that the Overseer of the Poor was in no way responsible, and the remedy lies with the Council, either by a larger appropriation, or by giving to this department the use of its receipts and balances.

At the close of the year it is impossible to have all accounts adjusted for payment, as bills are constantly coming from the state and from other cities and towns during the year, for which provision must be made ; and, as under the present system of depriving a department of its receipts, apparent results are obtained which are misleading and incorrect. To show the exact standing of this department for the past six years, I have prepared, from the Auditor's and Treasurer's accounts, the subjoined table on page 249, which will, I think, be self-explanatory, showing, as it does, that, since 1893, the receipts and unexpended balances would have been more than sufficient to meet all claims. But, as, at the end of the financial year, all balances are covered into the Treasury, and, on the incoming year, are held subject to draft by transfer by the Council to such department or appropriation accounts as may be the fortunate ones to make

the first demand, it follows that the departments, from whose appropriation the balances may have originated, would, later in the year, if bills were presented, find the Treasury empty, and no other course to follow than to ask an additional appropriation.

This has been the case the past year, for, as shown, the unexpended balance and receipts for 1898, amounting to \$2,928.51, from which the bills of the same year (1898), amounting to \$2,305.09, should have been paid, leaving a balance of \$623.42, was exhausted; which, in connection with the fact that the expenses of the department naturally increase with the population, and the large and unavoidable increase in the number of insane, which alone required an increased amount of over \$1,700.00, made it necessary to ask for the additional appropriation, while, as a matter of fact, the receipts of 1899 were drawn upon to the amount of \$558.76, to pay bills of 1898, leaving a balance of \$1,553.37 to pay such bills of 1899 as will inevitably be presented.

The number of families requiring aid has increased from 153 to 189, consisting of 611 persons.

The number of insane from 29 to 42; and in this connection I might say that the proposition which is made to allow the State to assume the maintenance of these cases, thereby relieving the cities and towns of the direct responsibility, would, in my opinion, tend to an equitable and desirable result.

The amount paid to the Quincy City Hospital was \$421.46, which was paid on account of 1898 by transfer by the Council, and does not, therefore, appear in the financial account of the department for the year, and is shown only in the Auditor's and Treasurer's accounts of expenditures for 1898, and is an illustration of the manner in which some items, which should be included directly in the yearly itemized account of the department, cannot be shown by the Overseer in his report.

The collections for the year were \$2,112.13, of which \$1,310.51 was from the State, \$637.84 from cities and towns, and \$163.78 from miscellaneous sources.

Of the total appropriation of \$11,000.00, the amount expended on December 31st was \$10,999.53, of which \$8,837.95 was for the outside poor (including \$4,889.68 for the insane, etc.), and \$2,161.58 for the almshouse.

All repairs at the almshouse have been done under the supervision of the superintendent, Mr. Franklin Jacobs, and, being of a minor nature, have been included in the miscellaneous account. The much-needed improvements in the sanitary arrangements of the almshouse, which have been requested in these reports for several years, have not as yet culminated in any visible results.

I would ask that the sum of \$13,700.00 be appropriated for the year 1900, based upon the following estimates. We have at present 42 patients in the insane and other hospitals, requiring \$7,200.00; for the almshouse, \$2,500.00; for outside poor, \$4,000.00.

FINANCIAL.

Appropriation,	\$9,500 00
Appropriation,	1,500 00
	—————\$11,000 00

Expended outside direct,	\$6,752 94
Expended outside from almshouse,	2,085 01
Expended almshouse, net,	2,161 58
Balance unexpended,	47
	—————\$11,000 00

Expense of Outside Poor.

Provisions,	\$2,193 63
Fuel,	870 26
Insane,	4,889 68
Clothing,	125 80
Rent,	299 25
Burials,	100 00
Boston City Hospital,	233 03
Medicine,	79 60
Miscellaneous,	46 70
	—————\$8,837 95

Expense of Almshouse.

Salary of superintendent,	\$500 00	
Wages,	207 50	
House supplies,	2,602 87	
Clothing, bedding, etc.,	139 50	
Stable supplies,	135 84	
Fuel,	240 89	
Water,	45 43	
Telephone,	40 57	
Lumber, tools, etc.,	64 63	
Repairs on wagons, shoeing, etc.,	91 20	
Medicine,	24 36	
Miscellaneous,	153 80	
	<hr/>	\$4,246 59
Cr. by supplies to outside poor,		2,085 01
		<hr/>
Net cost,		\$2,161 58

Almshouse.

Number of inmates of the almshouse, January 1, 1899,	15	
Admitted during the year,	21	
Total,	<hr/>	36
Died during the year,	0	
Discharged during the year,	17	
Total,	<hr/>	17
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In the almshouse, December 31, 1899,		19
Number of families aided,		189
Number of families settled in Quincy,		146
Number of families settled in other cities and towns,		20
Number of families State paupers,		23
Number of insane, dipsomaniacs, etc.,		42

Respectfully submitted,

E. W. H. BASS,

Overseer of the Poor.

A COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Year.	Appropriation.	Receipts.	Unexpended Balance.	Expended.	Expended for Previous Year.	Cost of Insane, etc.	Number of Inmates of Insane, etc. Almshouse.
1894	\$8,000 00	\$1,481 30	\$1,927 85	\$6,072 15	\$88 90	\$1,839 19	23
1895	8,500 00	404 05	298 67	8,201 33	1,813 73	2,611 92	24
1896	9,000 00	1,135 57	474 54	8,525 46	879 56	3,565 82	25
1897	9,000 00	1,195 90	44 04	8,955 96	880 64	3,510 43	29
1898	9,500 00	1,962 51	966 00	8,534 00	1,302 66	3,179 87	29
1899	11,000 00	2,112 13	47	10,999 53	1,875 97	4,889 68	42
	\$55,000 00	\$8,291 46	\$3,711 57	\$51,288 43	\$6,841 46	\$19,596 91	
Total appropriation,	.	.	.	.	.	\$55,000 00	
Total direct expenditure,	.	.	.	.	.	51,288 43	
Unexpended balances,	.	.	.	.	.	\$3,711 57	
Total receipts,	.	.	.	.	.	\$8,261 46	
Total expenditures from receipts for previous years,						6,841 46	
Balance of unexpended receipts,	.	.	.	.	.	\$1,450 00	
Total credit to department,	.	.	.	.	.	\$5,161 57	

Board of Health.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

The Board of Health submits its annual report.

At its first meeting, held February 6, 1899, the board organized temporarily with Matthew Lyons as chairman and C. W. Garey, M. D., as secretary.

At a later meeting the board organized permanently, electing A. W. Thompson as chairman and C. W. Garey as secretary.

The office of Health Inspector having become vacant, the board applied to the Civil Service Commissioners for a list of eligible candidates for this position. After holding an examination, the commissioners presented a list with two names thereon ; and one of them, Edward J. Lennon, by reason of his being a veteran, had the preference, and was chosen to fill the vacancy.

The constantly increasing growth of the city and the completion of the sewerage system sufficiently to allow house connections, have increased the work of this board more than ever before in any one year.

It became necessary, in order that the Inspector of Plumbing could perform his increased duties of testing the plumbing of old houses to be connected with the public sewer, to purchase a suitable testing apparatus.

New regulations relative to the connection of old houses with the public sewer were framed, which, up to the present time, seem to answer all the requirements.

Public Health.

It has been necessary, for the protection of the public health, to order all the houses in certain localities to be connected with the public sewer, and there are many more such locali-

ties that should be connected as soon as the sewerage system is in working order.

This board recommends that the sewer be extended this coming season to serve that part of West Quincy located near Cross and Miller streets, and Quarry street extension.

The regulation prohibiting the drainage from any cesspool or vault into the water courses of the city, should hereafter be stringently enforced, as herein lies an active source of sickness and ill health. In thinly settled localities this is not, perhaps, of such importance, but as these places become thickly populated, as they are fast becoming in our city, the increased amount of sewage is a source of great danger, unless a proper disposition thereof is made.

Disinfection.

In order to meet the increased demand for a more thorough and scientific fumigation of houses and school buildings, it became necessary to discard the old apparatus, which was uncertain and slow in action, and to procure a Regenerator which does this work in the best known manner. Below is a table showing the contagious diseases reported during the year, and a summary of the same for the last five years preceding, including the number of deaths for each disease, the total deaths and the death rate per thousand.

	Diphtheria, Membranous Croup.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Measles.	Totals.	Total Deaths.	Death rate per 1,000.
January,	1	7	4	2	14		
February,	0	6	2	4	12		
March,	4	8	1	8	21		
April,	1	8	1	24	34		
May,	1	7	3	83	94		
June,	2	3	0	175	180		
July,	6	2	4	7	19		
August,	6	0	16	0	22		
September,	5	0	13	0	18		
October,	16	6	10	0	32		
November,	19	3	6	0	28		
December,	16	9	0	0	25		
Total for 1899,	77(6)*	59(0)*	60(9)*	303(0)*	499	381	14.20

	Diphtheria, Membranous Croup.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Measles.	Totals.	Total Deaths.	Death rate per 1,000 .
Total for 1898,	19(3)	57 (0)	40(5)	93(0)		334	14.14
Total for 1897,	24(2)	41(2)	13(4)	439(0)		349	16.16
Total for 1896,	112(14)	68(2)	28(8)	18(0)		346	16.24
Total for 1895,	105(15)	58(4)	19(5)	33(0)		343	16.56
Total for 1894,	81(31)	16(1)	29(6)	30(0)		365	19.11

*The figures in parentheses indicate number of deaths.

An examination of this table will show you, among other things, that the death rate for Diphtheria is very low as compared with that of other years; that the number of Typhoid cases is rather above the average; and that Measles have been more prevalent this year than for any year during the last six, with the exception of '97.

Much stress should not be laid on the number of Measles reported, as it is usually a harmless disease and its spread does not reflect upon the sanitary condition of the city; but the Diphtheria and Typhoid, although by no means excessive, show a condition which is not the best, but one that will greatly improve as our sewer system is extended.

Medical Supervision of Schools.

It is the opinion of the board and those members of the School Committee with whom we have talked, that some provision should hereafter be made so that a system of medical supervision of the school children could be carried out more extensively in the future than has been done in the past.

Parents do not exercise sufficient care in keeping their children out of school when they show any symptoms of a contagious or infectious disease that is prevalent in their neighborhood.

Scavenger Work.

Previous to this season the City Scavenger has been obliged to dump his cesspool and vault matter in any out of the way place he could procure. These places have been a constantly growing source of complaint until it became necessary to abolish this system and do something different.

The Sewer Department, at our solicitation, constructed a catch-basin close by and connected with a man hole, into which

all the cesspool and vault matter, that does not contain ashes and other foreign material, has been discharged since July of this year.

This manner of disposition has worked successfully so far, and it seems probable that we have found the solution of this trouble.

It is necessary however, that all ashes, tin cans, rags, bottles, etc., should be kept out of the vaults in order that this system can meet with the best success.

We have at present this one catch-basin, located at the end of Gilmore street in Ward Five, which is quite convenient to Wollaston and parts of Atlantic and Quincy centre, and as soon as the sewer is sufficiently extended, two or three more should be constructed in other parts of the city as it will be many years before the sewer is sufficiently patronized to dispense with this service.

Forty eight licenses, granting the privilege to cart swill through the city, were issued this year. This swill business grows less year by year as the Boston source of supply is cut off and will soon be limited to the removal of our own production.

Garbage Contracts.

A new contract for the disposal of the city garbage was made this year on more advantageous terms than heretofore.

The plan of letting out by contract the collection of garbage from Houghs Neck has worked very successfully this season in that there have been no complaints from this locality.

Both of these contracts were made after soliciting sealed bids and were given to the highest bidder.

As this plan, of letting out by contract the collection of garbage from the Houghs Neck district, has worked so well, we would recommend the soliciting of sealed bids for the collection of the entire city garbage, the same to be done under the supervision of the Board of Health, if said contracts can be made to the city's advantage.

Collection of Garbage.

The present force of two teams and three men used in the collection of garbage from the whole city is inadequate for the work demanded.

Collections are made from 1084 houses and stores, twice each week throughout the year and three times each week from many of the stores and markets during the summer season. We are obliged to refuse many applying for this service, even though the teams work overtime almost every day ; and now that the city employes work but eight hours a day it is impossible to maintain this service, with any credit to the city and satisfaction to its people, without more equipment.

Dumps.

In addition to the two public dumps already in use, a third has been established in an old slate quarry at Norfolk Downs, through the kindness of the owner. This dump meets a growing demand from this locality.

Brooks and Drains.

In order that the work of cleaning the brooks and drains may be performed to the best advantage, the appropriation for this purpose should be made to the Board of Health, and not to the Commissioner of Public Works. This work, by the statute laws, must be performed by this department, and it is decidedly unreasonable to appropriate the money to some other department.

Public Hearings.

During the month of May six charges were preferred against the Inspector of Plumbing. A public hearing was held which extended through ten evenings, after which, by a majority vote, the board decided the charges were not sufficiently sustained to warrant the Inspector's discharge.

A public hearing was given those people of Quincy who live and have business interests in the neighborhood of Willard and Crescent streets and Bates avenue, relative to nuisances present in their vicinity. The board had recognized these conditions, and had been unable to remedy them for two reasons:

First—All the money that the Board of Health has had to spend for brooks and drains, in the last ten years, would hardly suffice for this one undertaking.

Second—Believing these nuisances in question to have been

caused in a great measure by the negligence of the Street department of years gone by, in allowing the water courses to be filled up, the board had expended its efforts in trying to have this work done by the Street department.

The expenditure of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), the most money that could be expended by the board in any one year to abate a nuisance, without a previous appropriation, would complete such a small part of the work, that it seemed advisable to wait such a time as the City Council would appropriate sufficient money to complete the work in one year.

However, about the time of the hearing, this matter was referred to the Board of Health by the City Council, they having been petitioned previously to do something in the matter, and a communication was sent to the Mayor and City Council, recommending that the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000.00), or as much thereof as is necessary, be appropriated to the use of the board for the abatement of this nuisance.

A petition was received from Mr. John Chamberlin and others asking that the swamp lying east of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, and north of Gilmore street, be drained. This was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

Business Methods.

Provisions should hereafter be made, either by an increased appropriation to our miscellaneous account, or by a change in the customs regulating the work of the assistants in City Hall, so that this department can have the use of a stenographer in the conducting of its correspondence. The increased amount of work coming upon this department necessitates increased business facilities for its proper fulfilment.

The following is an inventory of all the property used by this department which is owned by the city: Garbage house, horse, harness, blankets, one garbage wagon, three forks, one rake, two buckets and choppers, one garbage pung, one Formaldehyde Regenerator, two wood alcohol disinfectors which have been discarded, Formaldehyde solution, one plumbers' testing apparatus, office furniture, account books, printed blanks, stationery, etc.

CAUSE, AGE, SEX, NATIVITY AND MONTH OF DEATHS FOR 1899.

	Totals.	December,	November,	October,	September,	August,	July,	June,	May,	April,	March,	February,	January,	Unknown.	Above 80 years, 80 to 90 years, 70 to 80 years, 60 to 70 years, 50 to 60 years, 40 to 50 years, 30 to 40 years, 20 to 30 years, 15 to 20 years, 10 to 15 years, 5 to 10 years, 4 to 5 years, 3 to 4 years, 2 to 3 years, 1 to 2 years, Under 1 year,	Unknown, Provincial, Foreign, American, Male.	Female.
Accident,	13	4	8	5	3	1									1		
Alcoholism Chronic,	1														1		
Anæmia,	1														1		
Anencephalia,	1														1		
Angina Pectoris,	2														1		
Apoplexy,	7	7	12	2											1		
Appendicitis,	2	2	2												1		
Arterio sclerosis,	1														1		
Bronchitis,	9	7	11	3	2										7	2	
Bribe Disease,	1														1		
Cachexia,	2														2		
Carcinoma,	4														1		
Carcinoma Hepatic,	2														1		
Cholera Nostra, Infantum, etc.,	9	8	17												16	1	
Congestion of Lungs,	1														2		
Cirrhosis Hepatic,	1														1		
Cerebral softening,	1														1		
Convulsions,	3	2	5												3	2	
Colitis Ilio,	1														1		
Croup Membranous,	2														1		
Cystitis,	3														1		
Debility,	1														1		
Diabetes mellitus,	1														1		
Diphtheria,	1	5	6												1	1	2
Dysentery,	2	1	2	1											1		
Eclampsia Pueperal,	1														1		
Dyscrasia,	1														1		
Embolism,	3	8	11												7	2	
Enteritis, gastro enteritis,	1														1		
Heart disease, neuralgia	1														1		
Heart disease, congenital	5	7	8	4											1		
Heart disease, valvular,	12	8	15	5											1		
Heart disease, form unknown,	1														1		
Hydrocephalus,	1														1		
Hemorrhage, spinal,	2														1		
Gastric cancer,	1														1		
Icterus monotorum,	1														1		
Idioccy anarotic family,	2														1		
Intestinal obstruction,	1														1		
Intestinal hemorrhage,	4														1		
Inanition,	1														1		
Knotted cord,	2	5	7	2											6	1	
Marasmus,	4	6	8												6	1	
Meningitis,	2	3	5												3	1	
Meningitis, cerebro spinal,	3														1		
Nephritis,	3														1		
Old age,	3	10	10	4											1		
Paralysis vasomotor,	3	1	3												2	1	
Peritonitis,	3	2	1												2	1	
Placenter previa,	1														1		
Pleurisy,	2														1		
Pneumonia,	15	12	21	4	2										4	5	4
Premature birth,	1	5	6												6		
Pseudo-leukemia,	1														1		
Endocarditis,	1														1		
Erysipelas,	3														6		
Gastritis,	3	8	11												7	2	
Rheumatism,	1														1		
Sarcoma,	1	2	3												1		
Scnility, general,	1														1		
Septicæmia,	1														1		
Shock,	1														1		
Suicide,	1														1		
Tuberculosis, general,	1														1		
Tuberculosis, pulmonary,	30	16	25	15	6										2	2	
Tuberculosis, other forms,	4	5	8	1											2	1	2
Tumor of brain,	1														1		
Tumor of spinal cord,	1														1		
Typhoid,	7	2	5	4											1		
Ulcer, chronic duodenal,	1														1		
Whooping cough,	1														1		
Unknown,	1	2	3												3		
Totals,	193	163	261	77	17	1									98	22	9
Stillborn,	15	10	25												5	1	8
Totals,	208	173	286	77	17	1									103	23	17
Totals,	45	31	23	27	19	32	36	44	27	22	22	29	35		46	1	3
Totals,	46	31	27	31	22	33	40	43	29	26	23	30	33		46	1	3

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Appended is a tabulated report of the cause, sex, age, nativity and months of deaths for 1899.

Respectfully yours,

ALEXANDER W. THOMPSON,
C. WENDELL GAREY, M. D.,
MATTHEW LYONS,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF HEALTH INSPECTOR.

To the Board of Health of the City of Quincy:

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby submit my report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1899.

CARE OF BROOKS AND DRAINS.

The following is a list of the brooks that have been cleaned during the year: Town brook from Washington street to Columbia street; Furnace brook from playground in Ward 4, to the junction of Cross and Miller streets, which includes the laying of two hundred feet of retaining wall; Sachem brook from Rawson road to Farrington street in Ward 5; the ditch leading from Chubbuck street to North; the ditch starting near Baxter place and running across Elm street into Town brook on the Dr. Everett estate; the ditch beginning near Hammond place, and crossing Phipps and Water streets, Quincy avenue, private land and Elm street to Town brook near Miller Stile road; the ditch running from near Centre street across Brooks avenue into Town brook at the playground in Ward 3, and the ditch draining the swamp south of Beale street and entering Sachem brook.

DRAINS.

A covered drain, leading from a catch basin located near the Granite street railroad bridge and through private property to Town brook has been dug up and replaced part of the way with 190 feet of 18 inch drain pipe; and in connection therewith 64

feet of 8 inch pipe has been laid from a street drain running under the store of G. H. Wilson.

The covered drains running from the junction of Whitwell and Granite streets into Town brook, and a branch of the same running west, have been dug up, cleaned and relaid.

SANITARY WORK.

The total number of premises visited by the City Scavenger are,	1,400
The total number of loads of vault matter,	1,425
The total number of loads of cesspool matter,	1,196
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Total loads,	2,621
Number of cesspools cleaned by order of Board of Health,	216
Number of vaults cleaned by order of Board of Health,	378
Obstructions removed from brooks and drains,	12
Dead animals buried,	20
Defective sink drains,	25
Untrapped water pipes,	40
Sewage flowing on the surface,	85
Sewage flowing into cellars,	13
Sewage flowing into brooks,	45
Cesspools and vaults too near brooks,	13
Filthy yards,	14
Defective vaults,	11
Offensive pig pens,	10
Whole number of nuisances complained of, investigated and abated,	882
Number abated under the Acts of 1894, Section 218, Chapter 4,	64
Number of sewer connections ordered,	39

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD J. LENNON,

Inspector.

INSPECTION OF PLUMBING.

To A. W. Thompson, Esq., Chairman Board of Health :

DEAR SIR :— I herewith tender my sixth annual report as Inspector of Plumbing for the year ending December, 31, 1899.

During the year the following matter has been attended to :

Connections to public sewers,	. . . . .	232
Connections of new buildings,	. . . . .	46
Connections of old buildings,	. . . . .	186
Dwelling houses inspected,	. . . . .	431
Churches inspected,	. . . . .	2
Club houses inspected	. . . . .	1
Factories inspected,	. . . . .	5
Halls inspected,	. . . . .	4
Hotels inspected,	. . . . .	2
Laundries inspected,	. . . . .	2
Stables inspected,	. . . . .	1
Aggregate estimate value,	. . . . .	\$61,000 00
Aggregate estimate value 1898,	. . . . .	\$51,600 00
Increase over 1898,	. . . . .	\$9,400 00
Number of permits issued in 1899,	. . . . .	432
Number of permits issued in 1898,	. . . . .	258
Increase over 1898,	. . . . .	194

On January 1, 1899, the office of Inspector of Plumbing, by a vote of the Council, was made a salaried office effecting a saving to the city during the year of three hundred and fifty-six dollars (\$356.00).

The department is now in possession of a smoke test machine by the use of which the plumbing of old houses may be tested thereby obviating the danger of applying a water test to the same.

The work performed during the year has, generally speaking, been done in strict conformity with the ordinances regulating the same.

Any deviation being promptly reported to your honorable board.

Respectfully yours,

J. J. KENILEY,

Inspector of Plumbing.

EXAMINERS OF PLUMBERS.

To the Board of Health of the City of Quincy :

GENTLEMEN : — The Board of Examiners of Plumbers begs leave to make the following report :

Two examinations were held by the Board during the year, one on July 27, 1899, and one January 2, 1900.

There were six applicants for examination, five for a Journeyman's and one for a Masters' license. Four passed the Journeyman examination successfully and were granted licenses, the remaining two, one taking the Journeyman and the other the Masters' examination, were rejected, they having failed to pass.

This board has adopted the system of having a separate set of questions for the Journeyman and Masters' examinations, which system requires more skill and a more thorough knowledge on the part of the applicant, to successfully pass the Masters' examinations.

This board would recommend to the Board of Health that a set of plans be made showing a system of defective plumbing, thereby enabling the applicant to show his skill by pointing out the defects and showing how they should be corrected.

Respectfully submitted,

W. A. BRADFORD,

Secretary of the Board of Examiners.

ANIMALS AND PROVISIONS.

To the Board of Health of the City of Quincy :

GENTLEMEN : — I herewith tender you my report as Inspector of Animals and Provisions of the City of Quincy from April 1, 1899, to January 1, 1900 :

Number of inspections made,	. . . . .	304
Cases of glanders reported.	. . . . .	3
Horses killed on account of glanders,	. . . . .	1
Horses released by order of State Board	. . . . .	2
Cow suspected of tuberculosis released by State Board,	. . . . .	1

ROBERT T. JOHNSON.

Inspector.

Report of the City Physician.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

The following report of the City Physician for the year ending December 31, 1899, is respectfully submitted :

Visits to the sick in the Almshouse,	28
Attendance of the District court in police cases, . .	3
Calls to the Police department,	12
Office visits and vaccinations,	172
Visits to the outside poor,	191
Examination of applicants for the police service, . .	3

The number of inmates at the Almshouse has averaged about twenty during the year and their general health has been good. No deaths have occurred and this is particularly noteworthy, as most all are aged and sufferers from some chronic ailments.

Two deaths and four births have occurred among the outside poor.

J. ALFRED ELMERE, M. D.,
City Physician.

Report of Inspector of Milk.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

I have the honor to report that during the year, 1899, I have issued licenses to fifty-six milk peddlers and have registered twenty-five dealers in milk.

The receipts of the office \$40.50 I have returned to the City Treasurer.

Fewer complaints have been received this year than usual regarding the quality of the milk sold and the result of my inspections has convinced me that it is the intention of the milk dealers to comply with the provisions of the law.

Notwithstanding the publicity given to the fact that dealers in milk must be registered, by an annual notice in the city papers and by the publication in the City Book of the section of law referring to the subject, I still find parties who sell a little milk who have been violating the ordinance in ignorance.

For the benefit of these the statute concerning the same is again appended.

City Ordinance No. 21, Sec. 3.— “ Every person who conveys milk in carriages or otherwise, for the purpose of selling the same in the city, shall annually in the month of May, be licensed by the inspector in accordance with the provisions and subject to the penalties of the Public Statutes, to sell milk within the limits of the city, and shall pay to the Inspector fifty cents for the use of the city.

Every person who sells milk or offers it for sale in any store, booth, stand or market place in the city shall register in the books of the Inspector and shall pay him fifty cents to the use of the city.”

Chapter 398, Section 2, of the Acts of 1896, provides a legal standard of milk as follows :

“Section 9 of Chapter fifty-seven of the Public Statutes, as amended by Section Six of Chapter three hundred and fifty-two of the Acts of the year eighteen hundred and eighty-five, and by Section two of Chapter three hundred and eighteen of the Acts of the year eighteen hundred and eighty-six, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section, and inserting in place thereof the following : Section 9—In all prosecutions under this chapter, if the milk is shown upon analysis to contain less than thirteen per cent. of milk solids or to contain less than nine and three-tenths per cent. of milk solids exclusive of fat, or to contain less than three and seven-tenths per cent. of fat, it shall be deemed for the purposes of this Act to be not of good standard quality, except during the months of April, May, June, July and August, when milk containing less than twelve per cent. of milk solids or less than nine per cent. of milk solids exclusive of fat, or less than three per cent. of fat shall be deemed to be not of good standard quality.”

Respectfully,

HENRY C. HALLOWELL, M. D.,

Inspector of Milk.

Thomas Crane Public Library.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

The Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library beg leave to submit the following report :

The Library is in excellent condition, and has to report a year of uninterrupted and useful work. Its various departments work harmoniously together, having in view the common object for which it is established. The Trustees and officers feel that, so far as may be with the facilities placed in their hands, they are meeting with a reasonable degree of success.

Of course, there is much that they would like to do, and look forward to in the future. For example : they would like to extend the "Branch System" more thoroughly than has been done. This city is growing, and the needs of the outlying districts are becoming more urgent. It is a real want, and they would be glad to supply it more fully than can at present be done with the means at their disposal.

Another thing may be mentioned here, that is, the increasing desirability of a reading room of more general character than the Library can furnish, supplied with leading periodicals and newspapers, open day and evening.

The library is in excellent order, both without and within. In October the Trustees decided to abandon the old system, by which only one book could be taken at a time, and adopt a two-card system, which is in more general use among libraries of its class. It was also thought better to have a new registration : the result has justified their revision. They have under consideration at the present time, other changes, which they hope will result in making the late additions to the Library more accessible.

In the meantime, they welcome suggestions from the friends of the Library, having in view its use and welfare.

The statistics connected with the Library are submitted below.

Very respectfully,

E. C. BUTLER,
GEORGE W. MORTON,
HENRY McGRATH,
HARRISON A. KEITH,
HARRY L. RICE,

Board of Trustees.

Statistics.

During the year 1899 the Library was opened 303 days, and the number of books loaned was as follows:

	Public.	Schools.	Total.	Per Cent.
Fiction,	31,471	643	32,114	36.4
Periodicals,	19,870	14	19,884	22.2
Juvenile Fiction,	18,815	2,635	21,450	24.4
Arts and Sciences,	2,895	209	3,104	3.4
History,	2,808	759	3,567	5.
General Literature,	1,661	311	1,972	2.2
Biography,	1,587	359	1,946	2.2
Travels,	1,193	795	1,988	2.2
Poetry,	1,096	120	1,216	1.3
Education,	356		356	.4
Religion,	250		250	.2
	<hr/> 82,002	<hr/> 5,845	<hr/> 87,847	

On the first of October the Trustees voted to adopt the two-card system, also a new registration. Since that time 1,854 names have been registered. Books purchased, 619; books replaced, 272; books rebound, 854; books presented, 68; pamphlets, 162.

Largest number of books issued on any one day, 717, February 25. Smallest number, 81, on July 18.

Treasurer's Statement.

THOMAS CRANE ENDOWMENT FUND.

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1898,	\$20,079 62	
Interest received on Mass. gold bonds, 3 1-2 reg. to July 1, 1899,	315 00	
Interest on deposits in Quincy Savings Bank,	18 59	
Balance on hand invested in Mass. gold bonds reg. 3 1-2 and in Quincy Savings Bank, Dec. 31, 1899;		\$20,413 21
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COTTON CENTER JOHNSON FUND.

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1898,	\$338 34	
Interest on deposits, Quincy Savings		
Bank,	12 14	
Interest on \$2,000 bond, 5 per cent., to		
Dec. 31, 1899,	100 00	
Paid for books,		\$26 50
Balance on hand in Quincy Savings		
Bank, Dec. 31, 1899,		423 98
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	\$450 48	\$450 48

This fund of \$2,000 is invested in registered gold bonds, Chicago Junction Railways and Union Stock Yard Co.

CATALOGUE FUND.

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1898,	\$611 17	
Sale of catalogues and fines,	115 02	
Interest on \$500 government bond,		
4 per cent.,	20 00	
Interest on deposits, Quincy Savings		
Bank,	24 72	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1899,		\$770 91
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	\$770 91	\$770 91

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. MORTON,

Treasurer.

Adams Academy.

To His Honor the Mayor of the City of Quincy :

Though the Managers cannot report much success for those pupils of the Academy who tried the Harvard examinations last year, they can report in general highly satisfactory conditions. The best evidence of this is that the school opened in the autumn with 39 new scholars, making a total of 71, or nearly twice the number of the previous year, and more than at any time in the last twenty years. The Managers are highly gratified to find all parts of the city fairly represented in these accessions, and to find that the greater numbers have brought a corresponding increase of life and energy in work and play.

This prosperity has brought its embarrassments to the slender endowment of the school. An increase of teaching force was necessary, and two recent Harvard graduates were appointed to take the place of Mr. Linfield, who resigned to take a better position elsewhere. To provide for this the Managers were reluctantly compelled to ask such parents as were able to do so, to aid the school by paying something toward the expense of educating their sons. The generous response we have met from some, leads to a hope that further gifts will enable the school to get through the year without a financial deficit.

As the younger and larger classes come on and require more room, more apparatus, and more varied instructions, the income of our funds will not be enough to provide for absolute requirements. The Managers can only hope that the generosity of our citizens will prevent the necessity which must otherwise arise of limiting either the number of pupils or the scope of the instruction given.

During the year the city, with the assent of the supervisors, placed on the wall of the Academy building a tablet with this inscription : —

ON THIS SPOT
STOOD THE DWELLING
IN WHICH WAS BORN
JOHN HANCOCK.
PRESIDENT OF THE CONGRESS
OF THE UNITED STATES.
XII JANUARY MDCCXXXVII.

The management can only hope that the usefulness of the school to our citizens has been and will continue to be such as will justify enough aid from other sources than the income of our funds to enable the Academy to continue to offer to all our citizens the present admirable standard of education and of preparation for the advantages of a college course.

C. F. ADAMS 2d, *Chairman*,
WILLIAM EVERETT,
GEORGE B. DEWSON,
CHARLES A. HOWLAND,
JOSEPH M. SHEAHAN,
JAMES L. EDWARDS,
Board of Managers.

Woodward Institute.

To the City Council :

The accompanying report of the Treasurer of the Fund will show its condition at the present time.

The report of the Principal of the school follows, and will be found of interest.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
JAMES F. BURKE,
JAMES F. HARLOW,
JOHN O. HALL,
CLARENCE BURGIN,

Board of Managers.

Board of Directors of Woodward Institute for Girls.

All the settled ministers of the city.

Rev. Ellery Channing Butler, Chairman.

Rev. Walter Russell Breed, Vice Chairman.

Board of Managers of Woodward Fund,---1899.

Hon. Harrison A. Keith, Mayor.

James F. Burke, City Treasurer.

James F. Harlow, City Clerk.

John O. Hall, City Auditor.

Clarence Burgin, Elected by City Council.

Faculty of Woodward Institute.**PRINCIPAL.**

Carrie E. Small, Wellesley,—Social Science and Mathematics.

TEACHERS.

Mary H. Cowell, Boston University,	Latin and Greek.
Margaret E. Dodd, Mass. Institute of Technology,	Natural Science.
Isabella S. Foote, Smith College	English.
Mary L. Westgate, Wesleyan University,	History and Mathematics.
Adella W. Bates, Wesleyan University,	German.
Charlotte J. Burgess,	Stenography and Type Writing.
Katharine Walker, Paris and Brussels,	French.
Helen L. Blackwell, Emerson College of Oratory,	
Dr. Sargent's Gymnasium,	Physical Training.
Georgiana Cushing Lane, Mass. Normal Art School,	Art.
Prof. John D. Buckingham,	Vocal Music.
Seth W. Fiske, Janitor and Engineer.	

Woodward Institute Alumnae Association.

President, Eugenia M. Hatch, '97.

Vice President, Eloise P. Flood, '96.

Secretary, Mabel L. Drew, '97.

Treasurer, Alice G. Thompson, '97.

Executive Committee, The Officers and Maud W. Macfarlane, '98.

Woodward Institute.

To the Mayor and City Council :

In behalf of the Board of Directors, I submit herewith the annual report of the principal of the school.

EDWARD A. CHASE,

Secretary Board of Directors.

Report of Principal.

To the Board of Directors of Woodward Institute:

GENTLEMEN: In the report of your Secretary for the year 1896 is written the following inspiring expression of confidence:

“Woodward Institute when weighed in the balances, even now, is not found wanting. A year or two more, and the school will prove its right to its chosen motto, ‘Strong to Live.’”

As it has been from the beginning, Woodward is now very much alive. It is striving to fulfil the predictions of its friends.

The record of the past year, the sixth of our history, has been one from which we can derive encouragement, and in which we can take pride; although we are only glad, being praised, for what we know is worth the praising.

Yearly Reports.

Every year a general report of our aims and progress has been given to the public; but we still find many to whom the subject is unknown, or to whom it has but recently appealed; therefore much of this report may seem repetitious to those who have been constantly interested in the work of these few years.

What is Woodward Institute?

Said one, “For what does Woodward stand in the educational world? Is it a college-preparatory school or a business college? a school for athletic sports and æsthetic studies, a finishing school, or what? What are its methods and what are its aims?”

The facts which follow may help to an understanding of these questions.

Woodward has its own individuality. It is making progress in impressing its characteristics upon its pupils, whose influence is beginning to be felt in the community.

Its pupils are royally loyal, and eager to do their part in their own education, as best they may. The teachers are united in effort, and each department is maintained with credit to the school. To express our appreciation of mutual helpfulness is hardly necessary since the daily association speaks for itself.

Six years ago, with new and strange environments, with insufficient accommodations, with all new pupils, with teachers who were strangers each to the other, and all unacquainted with the methods immediately introduced, the early task of unification looked formidable; but Time is an educational factor of great value; we have learned "to labor and to wait." We realize, with a deep sense of responsibility, that these first years determine much for Woodward, both now and years from now. In that spirit, we have courage for the present, and faith for the future, trusting for a continuance of its sure and steady growth in worth and influence.

Education for Girls.

Woodward Institute is a secondary school for girls, where can be given an education most suitable for girls. However decidedly one may reject the thought that girls are not as able as boys, (and who, in these days, would be willing to stand back of such a statement?) yet one must candidly admit that there are physical and psychical differences. These can not be ignored in the consideration of the great subject, "How can we best educate our girls?" This report can not discuss the question as to whether the education of boys and girls should be identical, nor can it speak at length of the advantages and disadvantages of co-education; but as a teacher of experience with both boys and girls, and with girls alone, I do not hesitate to say that, even if the same curriculum be used, I can educate my girls far better when by themselves. That part of their education taught from text-books, in class instruction, may be given equally well to both boys and girls, with few exceptions; but "education" means much more than "book-learning"; hence the desirability of such opportunities for our girls as will best develop their womanliness.

Discipline.

Judging from the interest shown by visitors, one of the marked characteristics of Woodward is the method of discipline. How often people exclaim, "No system of marking deportment! How can you make the girls behave? What keeps them so still? Are there no punishments?" Come and visit them. Do they not behave? It is satisfactory to note that they are at their best, not in public, nor before visitors, but when teachers and pupils together are pursuing their class-work.

There are no formal rules of behavior. The pupils are allowed liberty, but they are taught that LIBERTY IS NOT LICENSE; *liberty is merely freedom to do right*. Each girl is taught also that *only under law is there liberty*; that every action must be decided by the law of righteousness, and decided *by herself*.

Her aids to this development of character, aside from good home training and the influence of the church, come from the daily ethical instruction of her teachers, given both directly and indirectly. How can we expect a girl to leave school ready to assume responsibility, unless she has been trained to responsibilities as faithfully as she is educated in Latin verbs or mathematical problems, by the daily practice of—Shall I? or Shall I not?

To mention all the efforts put forth for the successful teaching of this most important and most difficult part of a girl's education would be to describe minutely the daily work of Woodward. The morning Bible lesson and, practical talks, the manners of the instructors, the very teaching of any lesson, the passing to and fro, the games and amusements at recess, the study hour, in which the girls take care of themselves either in the library or study-hall, the friendly association with their teachers both in and out of school hours, whatever is done and said,—all these are used as means to the desired result.

The girls usually pass through the successive stages of feeling no restraint and trying to do whatever they may wish followed by the feeling of not knowing exactly what to do, ("There are so many things to do," said a little girl) and then reaching the period when reason asserts itself, the judgment

grows, and there slowly develops an appreciation of the exactness of their training, both as to its necessity and its benefits. Then are they as happy and contented and amiable as girls can well be. Conscience does not make cowards of them, for "the truth has made them free."

As one can readily see, this method of discipline requires patience, skill, and great diligence. The results justify the requisite expenditure of time and energy.

Individual Training.

It need not be said that this system demands much individual training which is of the greatest benefit to the larger number of pupils.

Among other subjects of importance to our girls is that of

Dress.

From the opening of the school, every girl has been taught that simplicity of dress in the school-room is not only most appropriate, but is a necessity for comfort and cleanliness.

Nearly every stranger remarks upon the plain, but neat appearance of our girls.

A woolen skirt with woolen blouse in winter, and cotton dresses in summer, constitute the "dress" at Woodward. As in other matters, any personal need is attended to in private.

Elective Course of Study.

Six years ago we aroused the wonder, and incurred the censure, of many for our departure from long-established custom in the arrangement of our curriculum. We began early to solve one of the problems that are now most agitating the educational world. It was a matter of great importance,—the placing this new school upon a sound and broad basis at the very beginning of its career: and to those members of the Board of Directors who so generously and courageously allowed the "experiment," as it was called, to be tried, the pupils of Woodward owe a debt

of gratitude. The opportunities offered in all departments are in the line of the best recommendations of our most distinguished educators, varied to suit the special needs of our community. We trust that this curriculum may not be narrowed, and that no backward steps will ever be taken by the school that must be, our Founder declared, "As perfect and as well-conducted as any in the State."

Instead of three or four "Courses," called "Classical," "English" or "Business," the arrangement of studies is such that a large variety of courses is possible.

Each girl's course of study is arranged with the Principal at the beginning of each year, and planned with reference to her avocation in life. Although young to make such a choice, the elective system is so elastic that most blunders can be remedied before the close of the five years. Occasionally a girl is able to finish her course in four years; this is rarely advisable; but at present there are three young women ambitious to succeed in such effort, to whom the Faculty has voted the privilege.

The few restrictions are as follows:

The lowest class (first year) is obliged to pursue the course as planned for them, being allowed as extra studies a choice of either French, Latin, or both.

College preparatory study must begin with this first year.

English is required throughout the five years.

The same is true of Gymnastics, Music, Art, and News of the Day.

The requirements for graduation are somewhat severe, no pupil is allowed to enter the Senior class "conditioned;" and no one is allowed to be graduated who does not reach a passing rank of "Fair" *in each study*. A "general average" is not accepted as satisfactory rank.

The following table will show that our pupils do not elect as little as possible. The courses represent, in general, about the same amount of work in five years; and therefore our diplomas can truthfully state, when the required rank in scholarship be gained, that "Woodward Institute awards this Diploma to ———, in testimony that she has honorably completed her course of study."

TABLE I.

Class.	No. in class.	No. of different courses.
Class of 1900,	21	16
Class of 1901,	14	14
Class of 1902,	13	10
Class of 1903,	14	11
Class of 1904,	18	*

*Not allowed sufficient choice to be counted.

Thus it can be seen that with 62 pupils there are 51 different combinations of studies.

TABLE II.

No. of Pupils.		Recitation-periods a week.
7	have	21
11	have	22
4	have	23
2	have	24
13	have	25
11	have	26
6	have	27
1	has	28
5	have	29
20	have	30

A minimum of twenty-one recitation-periods is required. The school week has in all 30 recitation-periods.

We do not try to recommend our system to others; it might not be adapted to their needs; but it suits our school in training "the varied capacities amid varied environments."

We receive frequent inquiries concerning our "experiment," and requests for "literature bearing upon the subject;" permission to study our methods by teachers and those pursuing college courses in Pedagogy is frequently asked and gladly granted.

Although our pupils are limited to those girls born in Quincy, we are pleased to have our methods known and investigated whenever interest is aroused.

Our own citizens have been more and more appreciative, and have encouraged us in many ways. Letters of kindly interest

a continued large attendance upon our public exercises, and substantial gifts for the adornment of our school-room, have testified to the esteem felt by many of our public-spirited men and women. During the year we have received the following

Gifts.

	Presented by
An autograph copy of "America,"	Mr. Henry H. Faxon.
Two reliefs from the balustrade of the	
temple Nike Apteros,	Mrs. John O. Hall, Jr.
Landscape (Corot),	Mr. L. Dowley Williams.
Sir Galahad (Watts),	" "
Dutch Scene (Ruysdael),	" "
Land's End (Photograph),	" "
Abend,	Mrs. S. B. Hoyt.
Morning (Corot),	Classes of '96, '97, '98.
Evening (Dupre),	" "
Stratford-on-Avon (Photograph),	Class of '99.
Diana and the Fawn (Louvre),	Mr. Harry L. Rice.

To Parents.

We are also grateful to a large degree for the willing cooperation of the parents and guardians of our pupils, for the betterment of the scholarship and deportment of the school, and in numerous helpful ways for our comfort. Not only does this word apply to the mothers, but also to the fathers who have given of their busy days to aid their daughters in behalf of Woodward.

Public Days.

As we have frequently stated, the time that can be devoted to public entertainments is limited. However, we have celebrated Thanksgiving Day, Forefathers' Day, Founder's Day, and Decoration Day. We have presented a German play, given basket ball games in our gymnasium, and held exhibitions of the work of the Art Department.

Every Tuesday, each class devotes one recitation-period to rhetorical exercises. We should be pleased to receive those interested in this or any other department.

Our class-work is never varied for visitors; you will find no "show" classes; each girl has her appointed work for each hour of the day, and that is the work performed. The letters written in French, the work in Botany and Biology, Compositions, the note-books in English and History, the written translations from or into foreign languages, the exercises in type-writing and stenography, are always ready for inspection.

The time of recitations is given in the daily programme.

Twice on Founder's Day, and at the conclusion of the school year, we have listened to noted speakers. Although two years have passed since Mrs. Livermore spoke to us on the subject, "Earthly Immortality," yet our girls today can give the substance of her remarks. In reading Ruskin to the school one morning, not long ago, I remarked, "But you do not know about the education of women in those early days, do you?" Immediately came the surprised denial from the upper classes, "Oh yes! Mrs. Livermore told us."

These addresses have been of great benefit to the young people themselves; and the school is for the pupils, is it not?

At the time of Commencement, many students are preparing for and taking entrance examinations for higher institutions; this, especially for girls, is a severe nervous strain, however well prepared for such a test; moreover, the final closing of school life is wearing; it is a period of trial for both teachers and pupils, usually in the most uncomfortable of weather.

Unless one has a "double" he would hardly care to listen to exercises, even though each be brief, from each of twenty-one graduates, with the thermometer in the nineties. Who shall be chosen to appear upon the stage? That question always involves many difficulties. Strange as it may seem, our experience shows that those girls least fitted for public appearance oftentimes most desire it, while we are often requested to omit pupils whose ability is marked. For these and other reasons, we have chosen such exercises as have hitherto been presented.

Alumnae Association.

We have an active and enthusiastic Alumnae Association. How helpful is such an organization!

The annual meeting was held last June, during Commencement week. Every girl came or sent a message.

The words of greeting, recollections of the past, and original suggestions for future needs of the school, gave promise that our graduates will not easily forget their Alma Mater.

Their independence of thought and vigorous action recalled to mind another happy expression in the first report of the Secretary of the Board: "The time will come when its graduates will be the best annual report that can be sent forth."

We are even now realizing that prophecy.

What Woodward Girls Are Doing.

Our graduates number 43. Some of them have excellent positions as stenographers, type-writers, or book-keepers. Of them comes the satisfactory report, "She does her work with intelligence."

A large number (nearly 50 per cent.) have entered higher schools with excellent admission papers, and their work is maintained at the same standard of excellence.

Other girls have taken college entrance examinations, but the following list represents the actual attendance for higher instruction:

[illegible]

Our Aims.

Our girls are expected to reach a good standard of scholarship ; but facts of knowledge are not everything ; our girls are educated to be and to do, as well as to know ; at least, that is our ideal. We say this in no boastful spirit, but rather with thankfulness for what has been accomplished, and with humility that it has fallen so far short of our aims.

But we who have watched the steady progress of Woodward, and there are many who have done so, we who have looked with the eyes of Faith, we who feel that this school belongs to Quincy and should be made an honor to this historic city ; we who are loyally fond, let us trust not blindly fond of this Woodward Institute for Girls, we say that we are striving earnestly for the best things ; we are learning how to be strong to live ; for we believe that "character is higher than intellect," and that "a great soul will be strong to live as well as to think."

We cannot better express the ideal aims of this school since its beginning than in the words of President Eliot of Harvard University in his address at the inauguration of President Hazard of Wellesley College :

"Everybody knows that the influence of women depends more than that of men on bearing, carriage, address, delicate sympathy, and innocent reserve ; that manners, in short, are much more important to the influence of women than they have been to the influence of men in the actual world—not that they ought to have been but that they have been."

"It remains for the colleges for women to show how this admirable effect can be produced on young women by the hundred and the thousand with some degree of certainty. It is a question of the best household arrangements for cultivating good manners ; of the best individual instruction in that delicate subject ; of the means of providing good examples for imitative youth ; of the means of uniting in the individual student the physical training, which gives elasticity, alertness, and grace, with the moral training, which strengthens sympathy, courage, and self-respect, and consideration for others, and the intellectual training which develops discernment, discrimination, and truthfulness."

Gentlemen, this is a report of the inner life at Woodward. To some it may seem optimistic. That the writer, through love for the school, may not seem to look through rose-colored glasses, this report has been read to both teachers and pupils for their criticism.

If it be incorrect, it is said to be in a failure to present our real enthusiasm, rather than a statement of an excess of interest ; but the attempt has been made to state conditions fairly, in all modesty and truthfulness, hoping that thereby the good of our school may be promoted, and that Woodward *as it is* may be known to a constantly increasing number of our citizens.

Respectfully submitting this report, I would express to the members of the Board of Directors my hearty appreciation of all co-operation for the upholding and upbuilding of Woodward Institute.

CARRIE E. SMALL, *Principal.*

Woodward Departments.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH (Required).

Teacher, Isabella S. Foote.

FIRST YEAR,—Four Periods a Week.

Class Work :—

Holmes : Selections.

Bryant : Selections.

Whittier : Snow Bound ; Selections.

Longfellow : Hiawatha ; Selections.

Patriotic Airs.

Myths.

Prescribed Home Reading :—

The Arabian Nights.

Dodgson : Alice in Wonderland.

Grimm : Fairy Tales.

Hans Andersen : Fairy Tales.

De Foe : Robinson Crusoe.

Old Mother Goose's Rhymes and Tales.

Æsop : Fables.

Browning : Pied Piper of Hamelin.

Hawthorne : Wonderbook.

Thackeray : The Rose and the Ring.

SECOND YEAR,—Four Periods a Week,

Class Work :—Homer : Iliad (Pope), Books I, VI, XXII, XXIV.

Homer : Odyssey (Bryant), the Phæacians.

Tennyson : Ulysses.

Virgil : Æneid (Cranch), Books I, II and III.

Scott : The Lay of the Last Minstrel.

Ballads.

Bulfinch : Age of Chivalry (Holy Grail Legends).

Tennyson : Idylls of the King.

Lowell : Vision of Sir Launfal.

Prescribed Home Reading :—

Bulfinch : The Age of Fable.

Cox : Tales of Ancient Greece.

Macaulay : Lays of Ancient Rome.

Scott : Marmion ; Ivanhoe ; Rob Roy.

The Boys' Percy (selections).

Malory : The Boys' King Arthur.

THIRD YEAR.—Four Periods a Week.

Class Work :—

Cooper : The Last of the Mohicans.

Hawthorne : The House of Seven Gables.

Irving : The Alhambra.

Emerson : Selected Essays.

Thoreau : Selections.

Burroughs : Selections.

Goldsmith : The Deserted Village ; The Traveller.

Gray : Elegy.

Addison-Steele : De Coverley Papers.

Macaulay : Essay on Addison.

Prescribed Home Reading :—

Cooper : The Spy.

Hawthorne : The Scarlet Letter ; The Marble Faun.

Irving : Selections.

Goldsmith : The Vicar of Wakefield ; She Stoops to Conquer.

Sheridan : The Rivals ; The School for Scandal.

Gray : The Bard.

Addison-Steele : Selected papers from the Spectator.

Austen : Pride and Prejudice ; Sense and Sensibility.

FOURTH YEAR,—Four Periods a Week.

Class Work :—

Burns : The Cotter's Saturday Night ; Songs.

Carlyle : An Essay on Burns.

Lamb : Selected Essays.

Coleridge : The Ancient Mariner.

Wordsworth: Selections.

Mrs. Browning: The Cry of the Children; Sonnets.

Browning: Selections.

Shelley: Ode to a Skylark.

Keats: Ode to a Nightingale; Ode to a Grecian Urn.

Tennyson: The Princess; Selections.

Eliot: Silas Marner.

Prescribed Home Reading:—

Barrie: The Little Minister; Auld Licht Idylls.

Stevenson: David Balfour; Kidnapped; Treasure Island.

Carlyle: Selected Letters.

Lamb: Selected Letters.

De Quincey: The Flight of the Tartar Tribe.

Dickens: Christmas Stories; A Tale of Two Cities; David Copperfield.

Thackeray: Pendennis; The Newcombs; English Humorists.

Eliot: Scenes from Clerical Life; Romola; Adam Bede; Middlemarch.

FIFTH YEAR,—Five Periods a Week.

Class Work:—

Shakespeare: Macbeth.

Milton: Early Poems; Paradise Lost, Books I and II.

Macaulay: Essay on Milton.

Burke: Speech on Conciliation with America.

Anglo-Saxon Fragments: Beowulf; War Songs.

Chaucer: Canterbury Tales: Prologue, Knight's Tale, Nun's Tale.

Spenser: Faery Queen: Britomart Episode.

Prescribed Home Reading:—

Pollard: English Miracle Plays.

Peele: The Arraignment of Paris.

Marlowe: Faustus.

Goethe: Faust, Part I.

Goadby: Shakespeare's England.

Clark: The Girlhood of Shakespeare's Heroines.

Shakespeare: Hamlet; Julius Cæsar; Sonnets.

Lessing: Nathan the Wise.

Aeschylus: Selections.

Sophocles: Selections.

Milton: Comus; Hymn on Christ's Nativity; Sonnets.

Lecky: American Revolution.

Webster: Bunker Hill Oration.

Langland: Piers the Plowman.

Chaucer: Canterbury Tales.

Spenser: Shepherd's Calendar; Colin Clout's Come Home Again.

Throughout this course the aim has been to take up the works of standard authors in the order of their increasing difficulties; to stimulate the imagination; to train the critical faculty; to secure definite, logical thought; to cultivate a love for the beautiful; in short, to gain the broadest mental development.

GRAMMAR.

Grammar is taught incidentally during the first two years. The work is based principally on Meicklejohn's Grammar.

RHETORIC.

Rhetoric is taught incidentally during the last three years. The work is based on Genung's Rhetoric, and on Wendell's English Composition.

COMPOSITION.

Each pupil is required to write one composition a week; this composition is rewritten after correction. The subjects for the compositions are drawn from life; the pupil is urged to write about her own experiences. In addition to these weekly compositions, frequent papers are required in connection with the work in literature. The aim of this work in composition is to enable the pupil to express her thoughts clearly and definitely in simple, idiomatic English.

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY.

Teacher,—Mary L. Westgate.

It is the aim of the earlier courses in history not only to make the students familiar with the leading facts of ancient history, but to teach them skilful handling of books. It is

desired in the more advanced courses to point out historic principles and to show how the practical working of these preconceived theories develop modern constitutional governments.

REQUIRED.

First year.—English history. Three periods a week. Topics from prehistoric Britain to reign of Victoria. Individual work in biography and anecdotes. Books as bases: Montgomery's *Leading Facts in English History*, Lingard's *English History*, Lancaster's *English History*, Guest's *Lectures*, Dickens' *Child's History*, Green's *English People*, Gardiner's.

Second year.—Greek history. Three periods a week. From prehistoric times through empire of Alexander. Text books: Myer's *Larger Greek History*, References to Oman's *Greek History*, Smith's *Greek History*, Holm's *Greek History*, Botsford's *History of Greece*.

Third year.—Roman History. Three periods a week. Topics from Allen's *History*. References to Leighton, Liddell, Merivale's *General History*, Merivale's *Fall of Republic*, Schuckburg's *History of Rome*, Epoch Series, edited by Cox and Sankey, Mommsen's *History of Rome*.

ELECTIVE.

Fourth year.—Two periods per week. Lecture course in Modern Constitutional History of England and continental countries, or French History from French Revolution to the fall of Napoleon. References to Gardiner's *Constitutional History of England*, Bright's *English History*, May's *Constitutional History*, Macaulay's *Lives*, Lecky's *XVIII Century*, Fyffe's *Modern Europe*, Duruy's *France*, and Gardiner's *French Revolution*.

Fifth year.—United States History. Two periods a week. Text book: Channing's *Students' History*. Topics by students. Reference constantly to Fiske's *Histories*, Frothingham's *Rise of Republic*, Schouler's *United States*, McMaster's *People of United States*, American Statesman Series, Parkman *Histories*.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL SCIENCE.

Teacher,—Margaret E. Dodd.

First year.—First half year: Physics, 5 periods per week.

Second half year: Physics, 3 periods; later, Chemistry of Air and Water, 2 periods. Botany, 3 periods.

Second year.—Biology, until March; then Physiology, 4 periods per week. The botany will serve as an introduction to biology, this through the study of a few animal forms will lead to the Physiology.

Third year.—Physiography, with mineralogy and elementary astronomy, 4 periods a week. This will give an opportunity to correlate the studies of the first two years.

Fourth year.—Chemistry, 4 periods per week. Elective, College Physics, 4 periods per week. This course is recommended to *all* as excellent scientific training.

Fifth year.—First half year: Domestic science, 4 periods per week. Second half year: Astronomy, 4 periods per week. College Physics. Two years is really required for this course in preparation for the Harvard physics.

The scientific department seeks to develop patient, painstaking students, independent in observations, and in the conclusions drawn from them: to give them experience in manipulating apparatus, and to train them in concise and accurate statement by the preparation of note books. As a final result of the course, the pupil should have a knowledge of the great laws that govern natural forces, and a delight in an intelligent appreciation of all natural phenomena.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS.

Teachers.—Mary L. Westgate, Margaret E. Dodd, Adella W. Bates, Carrie E. Small.

First year,—Inventional Geometry. Four periods a week.

Second year,—Algebra. Four periods a week.

Third year,—Algebra. Four periods a week.

Fourth year,—Geometry. Four periods a week. Algebra. Two periods a week.

Fifth year, — Solid Geometry. Three periods a week. Mathematical Reviews. Four periods a week.

AIM: To train the pupil's powers of observation and reasoning; to procure accurate as well as rapid work.

GERMAN (Elective: Three Periods a Week.)

Teacher, Adella W. Bates.

The aim of the department is twofold: to furnish the students with a thorough knowledge of the elements of German grammar and to enable her to speak and write the language correctly, idiomatically, and as fluently as may be; and to introduce her to German literature, classic and modern, so that she may pursue the study of this subject by herself after graduation. The memorizing of German lyrics is a part of each year's work throughout the course.

First year.—Pronunciation drill. Phonetics. Poetry. Grammar: declension and conjugation. Harris' German Lessons, I-XVII, or equivalent. Class-room conversation from beginning of course. Translation work in Reader.

Second year.—Grammar: Through Harris, with general review, and accompanied by prose composition. Short, idiomatic fairy tales or other simple stories read and related. Translation of Baumbach's "Im Zwielficht." Poetry.

Third year. — Grammar: Joynes Meissner more advanced grammar. Harris' Prose Composition, Sec. I and II. Modern German read and made the basis of conversation. Stories by Heyse, Kleist, Auerbach, etc, etc. Translation: Lessing's "Minna von Barnhelm." Poetry.

Fourth year. — Harris' Prose Composition, continued. Schiller: Life studied and discussed. Two or three dramas read and criticised with translation of selected passages. Selected poems learned.

Fifth year. — Goethe: Life studied, with passages from autobiography. The dramas critically studied: Goetz. Egmont. Iphigenia. Selected lyrics learned.

DEPARTMENT OF FRENCH.

(Elective: Three Periods a Week.)

Teacher, Katharine Walker.

First year: Pronunciation. Rogers French sight reading. Elementary composition. Plurals and feminines of nouns and adjectives. I, II, III primitive tenses of verbs.

Second year: Rogers French sight reading. Letter writing; composition. Grammar, nouns, adjectives, regular verbs, reflexive verbs. 6 Fables, La Fontaine.

Third year: Reading, selected short stories, La Fontaine. Letter writing; composition. Irregular verbs. Participles.

Fourth year: Grammar. General review. Letter writing; Composition. Reading, LaBelle Nivernaise, LeRoman d'un Jeune Homme Pauvre, L'Abbe Constantin, Esther, Athalie, Le Cid.

Fifth year: Letter writing. Moliere, Racine, Corneille, and modern authors.

Sixth year: Special course according to pupils.

The aim and scope of the French department is not only to enable the pupil to pass creditable college examinations, but to give her a profitable knowledge of the French language. For this purpose the ear must be trained to recognize the French sounds. This is done by dictation exercises and by translating from hearing the French text without seeing it. The tongue must also be trained; this is done by having the pupil read the French text aloud, as fluently as possible and so clearly and correctly as to be understood by all the class. The pupil is taught to think out her own sentences from the beginning, and thus she chooses her own vocabulary which she increases later by reading and sight translations. As the verb is the most important part of speech, the pupil starts her grammar study with that, not by memorizing long lists of irregular verbs, but by using her own judgment, and forming for herself the various tenses of the verbs and learning the meaning at the same time. Once the verbs have been learned, and a certain vocabulary has been acquired, the pupil is drilled in letter writing and composition with a view to giving her a refined, easy and literary style, and imparting to her as far as may be "l'esprit de la langue." Finally, when the pupil has attained a fair degree of proficiency in all these branches, she devotes the remainder of her course to the study of French literature and the reading of the French Classics.

LATIN (Elective).

Teacher,—Mary H. Cowell.

First year.—Four periods a week. Forms: Simple sentences and narrative in Latin and English.

Second year.—Five periods a week. Cæsar. Latin composition based upon the text read. Sight reading.

Third year.—Five periods a week. Cæsar, continued; Selections from Sallust's Catiline; Cicero, orations against Catiline, with Archias. Oral and written composition. Sight reading.

Fourth year.—Four periods a week. Six books of Virgil. Word-study. Roman manners and customs. Bennett's Latin Composition.

Fifth year.—Four periods a week. Selections from Ovid amounting to 2,000 or 2,500 lines. Three or more orations of Cicero, largely at sight. Selections from Virgil, *Æn.* VI–XII (the Story of Turnus), Daniell's Composition, exercises for grammatical review.

The work indicated above constitutes a thorough preparation in Latin for any of the colleges. Throughout the course particular attention is given to the subject matter and literary style of the works read, as well as to sentence structure and grammatical form. If desired, this literary and historical investigation will be continued, as graduate work, by a general course in Latin literature and Roman antiquities, or by a reading course drawn from Cicero (*De Senectute*), *De Amicitia* and *Letters*), and Selections from Horace and Catullus.

GREEK (Elective).

Teacher,—Mary H. Cowell.

This course will aim to give a thorough preparation for college and will follow substantially the outline given below:

First year, — Four periods a week. Beginner's work. Forms, vocabulary and common constructions.

Second year,—Four periods a week. Xenophon. Greek Composition based upon the text read. Sight reading.

Third year,—Four periods a week. Homer. Sight reading. Composition based upon Attic prose. Grammatical review. Greek manners and customs.

BUSINESS COURSE.

Teacher,—Charlotte J. Burgess.

The aim of this department is to train the pupils to do neat,

methodical and accurate work in shorthand, type-writing and book-keeping.

Second year,—Principles of Phonography. Double entry book-keeping and commercial arithmetic.

Third year,—Practice in writing and reading shorthand. Type-writing; two periods a week.

Fourth year, — Shorthand and type-writing as above. Double and single entry book-keeping.

Fifth year,—Speed practice in writing and reading shorthand. Type-writing three periods a week. Practice in writing from shorthand notes and from dictation, and the use of the mimeograph and carbon paper.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Teacher,—Carrie E. Small.

This subject is pursued during the five years of the course, with one recitation each week.

Its scope is the world's news.

It is designed to teach the pupils to read; what to read; how to read; how to think for themselves; how to discuss a subject read; and how to render thought into clear and concise, if not elegant, English.

The topics are treated according to the ability of the several classes.

Facts alone are of little importance. The aim is ever towards the cultivation of a wider intelligence, broader interests and sympathies, and more Christian ideals of human intercourse.

GYMNASTICS (Required: Two Lessons a Week).

Teacher,—Helen L. Blackwell.

First year, — Swedish Gymnastics. Apparatus work. Drill in Dumb Bells, and Wands.

Second and Third years,—Swedish Gymnastics, Apparatus work. Bells and Wands. Military Drill.

Fourth and Fifth years, — Advanced work in the above. Club Swinging. Military Drill.

Various gymnastics games have been introduced, and a Basket Ball teams have been formed from members of the various classes.

The aim with all pupils is to secure a better control of the body, a more correct carriage, and general improvement throughout.

DEPARTMENT OF ART (Required: One Lesson a Week).
Teacher,—Georgiana C. Lane,

This subject is required of each pupil: —The study of art must necessarily be considered as a whole rather than the work of the different classes; therefore the instructor arranges the course of drawing to meet the needs of the individual student and varies it to suit any requirements.

The general plan of the course is as follows:

Free hand drawing of objects and principles of perspective.

Study of form, light and shade.

Study of historic ornament.

Study of design, applied decoration.

Study of color.

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC (Required).

Director,—J. D. Buckinham.

The aim of the department of music is to cultivate a taste for good music and to prepare the girls for intelligent and appreciative work in the further pursuit of the art in its various branches.

The course in singing embraces the study of solfeggio, rhythm, sight reading, dynamics, breath control, intonation, enunciation, unison and part singing.

The theoretical work aims to give the pupil a thorough foundation in the elements of music and includes knowledge of intervals, the derivation and construction of our present day tonalities, major and all minor forms.

Triads—The chords of the Dominant seventh and Diminished seventh. Cadences and harmonic and thematic analysis.

Individual class work, one forty minute period each week;
United class work, one forty minute period weekly.

COURSE OF STUDY, JANUARY, 1900.

FIRST YEAR.	SECOND YEAR.	THIRD YEAR.	FOURTH YEAR.	FIFTH YEAR.
English, 4 History, 3 Natural Science, 5 Geometry, 3 News of the Day, 1 Drawing, 1 Music, 2 Gymnastics, 2	English, 5 History, 3 Natural Science, 3 Algebra, 4 News of the Day, 1 Drawing, 1 Music, 2 Gymnastics, 2	English, 5 History, 3 Natural Science, 4 Algebra, 4 News of the Day, 1 Drawing, 1 Music, 2 Gymnastics, 2	English, 5 History, 2 Chemistry, 4 Geometry, 4 News of the Day, 1 Drawing, 1 Music, 2 Gymnastics, 2	English, 6 History, 2 Physics, 4 News of the Day, 1 Drawing, 1 Music, 2 Gymnastics, 2
Electives.	Electives.	Electives.	Electives.	Electives.
French, 3 Latin, 4	German, 3 French, 3 Latin, 5 Bookkeeping and Commercial Arithmetic, 3 Stenography, 2	German, 3 French, 3 Latin, 5 Greek, 4 Stenography, 2 Typewriting, 3	German, (minimum) 4 German, (maximum) 3 French, 3 Latin, 4 Greek, 4 Algebra, 2 Stenography, 2 Typewriting, 3 Bookkeeping, 2	German, (minimum) 4 German, (maximum) 3 French, 3 Latin, 4 Greek, 4 Stenography, 3 Typewriting, 3 Political Economy, 3 Solid Geometry, 3 Math. Reviews, 4
NOTE. The numeral following a subject indicates the number of recitations per week. College preparatory work begins with this first year.	NOTE. An elective may take the place of either algebra or science.	NOTE. An elective may be substituted for geometry. If three foreign languages be elected, history and science may be omitted.	NOTE. One elective required. If three foreign languages be elected, science may be omitted, as also either history or physics.	NOTE.

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY.

TIME.	MISS SMALL.	MISS BURGESS.	MISS COWELL.	MISS DODD.	MISS FOOTE.
8.15	Opening Exercises.				
8.30	IV. Algebra. M. & F.	III. Stenography. M. & F. II. Type-writing. W.	III. Greek. III. Latin. III. Greek. M. W. F.		V. Literature. W. & F.
9.10	III. News of the Day. M.	IV. Book-keeping.	I. Greek.	I. Physics.	V. Literature. M. III. Literature. W. IV. Latin. F.
9.50		Type-writing. M. I. Book-keeping. W. & F.	III. Latin. II. Latin. M. W. & F.	V. Physics.	IV. Literature.
10.30	Recess.				
10.55	II. News of the Day. M.	III. Type-writing. M. I. Stenography. W. I. Type-writing. F.	I. Latin.	III. Biology. M. & W.	IV. Latin. M. & W. III. Literature. F.
11.35	V. News of the Day. F.	I. Stenography. W. & F.	V. Latin. III. Latin. M. & W. F.	II. Chemistry. M. III. Biology. F.	II. Literature. W. & F.
12.15		II. Type-writing. M. IV. Stenography. W. & F.		II. Chemistry. M. IV. Biology. W. & F.	I. Literature.

TIME.	MISS BATES.	MISS WESTGATE.	MISS WALKER.	MISS G. C. LANE.	MR. BUCKINGHAM.
8.15					
8.30	I & II. German. (minimum)	I. History. M. & W.	II. French.	V. Drawing. M.	IV. Music. W.
9.10	Graduate German. M. V. Composition. F.	V. History. W. II. Geometry. F.	IV. French. M. & W. III. French. F.	II. Drawing. M.	II. Music. W.
9.50	Graduate German. M. III. Algebra. W. & F.	II. Geometry. M. II. History. W. & F.	I. French.	III. Drawing. M.	
10.30					
10.55	III. German. M. II. German W. & F.	V. Geometry.	Graduate French. M. & W. IV. French. F.	I. Water Colors. M.	
11.35	I. German.	IV. History.	III. French. M. & W. Graduate French. F.	I. Drawing. M.	
12.15	German, D. M. IV. German. W. & F.	III. History.	V. French.	IV. Drawing. M.	

TUESDAY AND THURSDAY.

TIME.	MISS SMALL.	MISS BURGESS.	MISS COWELL.	MISS DODD.	MISS FOOTE.
8.15	Opening Exercises.				
8.30	IV. Algebra.	III. Type-writing.	III. Greek.	II. Chemistry. Tues.	I. Literature.
9.10		II. Stenography.	I. Greek. Tues.	I. Physics. Tues. Th. V. Physics.	V. Literature. Tues. Th. IV. Latin.
9.50		Clerical Work.	I. Latin. Tues.	III. Rhetoricals. Tu.	I. Rhetoricals. Tues.
10.30	Recess.				
10.55	I. Algebra. Tues.	II. Book-keeping.	II. Latin.	II. Chemistry. Th.	IV. Latin. Tues. Th. IV. Literature.
11.35	IV. News of the Day. Tu.	I. Type-writing.	V. Latin.	I. Geometry.	III. Literature.
12.15	I. News of the Day. Tu. Th. I. Algebra.	IV. Rhetoricals. Tues. Th. Clerical Work.	III. Latin.	V. Physics. Tues. Th. IV. Biology.	II. Literature.

TIME.	MISS BATES.	MISS WESTGATE.	MISS BLACKWELL.	MISS G. C. LANE.	MR. BUCKINGHAM.
8.15					
8.30	II. College German. Tu. II. German. Th.	V. History. Tues.	II. Gymnastics.		V. Music. Th.
9.10	III. German.	II. Algebra.	I. Gymnastics. Th.		III Music. Th.
9.50	V. Rhetoricals. Graduate German. Th.	II. Rhetoricals. Tues.	IV. Gymnastics. Tues.		School in Music. Th.
10.30					
10.55	III. Algebra.		V. Gymnastics.		I. Music. Th.
11.35	German, C. Tues.	II. Geometry.	IV. Gymnastics. Th.		
12.15	IV. German. Th.	V. History. Th.	III. Gymnastics.		

Graduation Exercises of the Class of 1899.

"STRONG TO LIVE."

- "The Truth Birds," Beethoven.
 "A Maiden Sang Beneath a Tree," Aug. Weichert.
 "Good-Night," Mozart.
 "The Fairy Isle," William Shield.
 Address,—*"The Riches of a Scholarly Spirit,"* Mr. Frank A. Hill, Secretary of the State Board of Education.

Class Song.

Presentation of Diplomas, Rev. Walter Russell Breed, Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors.

CLASS SONG.

Words by Katharine F. Garrity. Music adapted from J. Brahms.

Why grieve we for the sun that sets	Should clouds or shadows dim our way,
In clouds of golden hue?	Perchance some lesson taught
E'en through the passing day has been	In bygone days, may prove a guide
Replete with pleasure true	To paths with brightness fraught.
A newer fuller day will come	
When dawns the morrow's light,	So feel no sadness or regret
A wider vista all undimmed	For golden days now gone;
Disclosing to our sight.	The future wreathed in blossoms fair
	Now bids us venture on.
The sacred past we'll e'er hold dear;	With hopeful, loving, trusting hearts
Its treasures rare will dwell	We greet the rising sun
Within our hearts, nor time, nor place	That ushers in a glorious day —
Shall ever break their spell.	Our future just begun,

CLASS OF 1899.

Ruth Bassett,
 Carolyn Alden Bates,
 Frances Frederick Carr,
 Helen Claflin,
 Fannie Alice Damon,
 Mary Josephine Dunn,
 Grace Eaton,
 Mary Agnes Elcock,
 Marie Di Pazza Fegan,
 Eva Loring Feltis,
 Katharine Frances Garrity,
 Mary Augusta Graham,

Pauline Louise Jones,
 Willietta May King,
 Elizabeth Frances O'Neil,
 Alice Gertrude Packard
 Mary Ellen Pendergast,
 Eva Doraine Phillips,
 Martha Pierce,
 Jane Childs Reed,
 Ethel Rinn,
 Annie Agnes Shirley,
 Mary Gertrude Thomas,
 Minnie Frances Wight,

Mary Frances Jones.

Founder's Day Exercises.

Music by the School.

Jack Frost. Arr. from Hatton.

A Song of Cheer. Arr. from Hugo Jungst.

Sunset. Arr. from Hugo Jungst.

Smiling Dawn. Handel.

Address by Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer.

"Dear Woodward."

Memorial Day Exercises.

MAY 29, 1899.

March, School.

Recitation: The Centennial Hymn, Katharine Garrity.

Music, "God Ever Glorious!" School.

Swedish Gymnastics, Class V.

Composition: "Our National Emblem," Eva Feltis.

Mass-Drill, Girls from each class.

Quotations.

Music, "De Year ob Jubilee," School.

Recitation: The American Flag," Helen Claflin.

Hoop Drill, Class I.

Recitation: "Hurrah for the Flag!" Elizabeth Merrill.

Flag Drill and Chorus,

Club Swinging.

Music, "Massa's in de Cold, Cold Ground," School.

Story of the Writing of "America," Grace Eaton.

Recitation: "Our Native Song," Eva L. Phillips.

Fancy Marching.

Presentation to the School of an autograph

copy of "America," by Mr. Henry H. Faxon.

Music, "America", School.

Ball exercise, Class I.

Recitation: "The American Hymn," Jane C. Reed.

Salute to the Flag, School.

Music, "The Star-Spangled Banner," School.

"Taps."

March,

Alumnae Meeting.

JUNE 19, 1899.

Address of welcome, by the President, Eugenia M. Hatch, '97.
 Vocal Solo, Eloise P. Flood, '96.
 Prophecy of the Class of '99, Eva L. Phillips, '99.
 Poem, written by Ruth Bassett, '99; read by Helen Clafflin, '99.
 Paper, "The Graduate's Outlook," Ruth Randall, '96.
 Piano Solo, Eugenia M. Hatch, '97.

Basket Ball.

Woodward Institute vs. Boston University, in Woodward Gymnasium. Score: Woodward Institute, 35; Boston University, 8.

Woodward Institute vs. Boston University, in B. U. Gymnasium. Score: Woodward Institute, 6; B. U. Freshmen, 6.

Woodward Institute vs. Boston University, in Woodward Gymnasium. Score: Woodward Institute, 8; Boston University, 8.

School Calendar.

1899.

March 13,	Monday,	Founder's Day.
June 19,	Monday,	Meeting of Alumnae.
June 21,	Wednesday,	Graduation Exercises.
June 22,	Thursday,	Reception.
September 18,	Monday,	Fall term begins.
November 30,	Thursday,	Thanksgiving recess.
December 22,	Friday,	Fall term ends.

1900.

January 3,	Wednesday,	Winter term begins.
March 12,	Monday,	Founder's Day.
April 6,	Friday,	Winter term ends.
April 18,	Wednesday,	Summer term begins.
June 18,	Monday,	Alumnae Meeting.
June 20,	Wednesday,	Graduation Exercises.
June 21,	Thursday,	Reception.
June 22,	Friday,	Summer term closes.
June 30,	Saturday,	Applications for admission.

Woodward Fund and Property.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Board of Managers of the Woodward Fund of the City of Quincy :

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I submit the following statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Woodward Fund for the year ending December 31, 1899. Also a statement of the securities in which the Fund is invested.

Receipts.

Cash on hand January 1, 1899,	.	.	\$2,693 32
Loans secured by mortgages,	.	.	\$3,520 00
Interest on same,	.	.	5,907 41
Rents from sundry persons,	.	.	2,056 55
Interest on bank balance,	.	.	168 10
Books sold to pupils,	.	.	361 49
Land sold, Valley street,	.	.	3,200 00
Use of gymnasium,	.	.	7 00
Sale of old furnaces,	.	.	16 63
Dividend on \$7,500 bonds Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe R. R.,	.	.	300 00
Dividend on 4 bonds Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore R. R.,	.	.	200 00
Dividend on 10 bonds New York and New England R. R.,	.	.	600 00
Dividend on 4 bonds Vermont and Massachusetts R. R.,	.	.	200 00
Dividend on 5 bonds Union Pacific R. R.,	.	.	290 00

Dividend on 4 bonds Detroit, Grand Rapids and Western R. R.,	\$160 00
Dividend on 10 bonds Chicago, Burlington and Quincy R. R.,	475 00
Dividend on 5 bonds City of Cleveland,	200 00
Dividend on 5 bonds City of Minneapolis,	200 00
Dividend on 3 bonds City of Sheboygan,	135 00
Dividend on 10 bonds City of Pawtucket,	125 00
Dividend on 25 shares Mount Wollaston Bank,	150 00
Dividend on 27 shares Boston and Albany R. R.,	216 00
Dividend on 148 shares Old Colony R. R.,	1,036 00
Dividend on 66 shares Fitchburg R. R., pref.,	264 00
Dividend on 45 shares Union Pacific R. R., pref.,	67 50
Dividend on 10 shares Quincy and Boston Street Railway Co.,	35 00
Dividend on \$10,800 Central Vermont R. R., Reorganization, Con. Vt.,	432 00
Dividend on 5 bonds Michigan Telephone Co.,	125 00
10 shares Quincy and Boston Street R. R., sold,	1,280 00
Premium on same,	220 00
10 bonds City of Pawtucket, by maturity,	5,000 00
1 bond Chicago, Burlington and Quincy R. R., called,	1,000 00
Premium on same,	50 00
Total receipts,	<u>\$27,997 68</u>
	\$30,691 00

Expenditures.

Loans secured by mortgage,	\$6,100 00
5 bonds, Michigan telephone,	5,100 00
Approved by Board of Instruction,	10,819 79
	<u>\$22,019 79</u>

SEMINARY BUILDING.

Edward J. Sandberg, labor,	\$46 75	
Huey Bros., heating,	2,712 00	
Henry C. Weeden, plumbing supplies, .	34 72	
Walworth Construction Co., material, .	21 81	
S. W. Fisk, labor,	12 00	
G. B. Bates, ash barrels,	21 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,848 28

IMPROVEMENT OF LOT.

City of Quincy, concrete sidewalk, .	\$151 74	
John M. Frazier, grading,	237 00	
Edward J. Sandberg, loam and grading, .	718 96	
John W. Nash, seed,	21 85	
	<hr/>	\$1,129 55

FARNUM PROPERTY.

H. W. Campbell, care and collecting rents,	\$52 85	
George A. Mayo, materials,	32 19	
E. Menhenick, labor,	12 80	
E. G. Hayden, paper hanging,	9 51	
R. D. Chase, insurance,	49 00	
City of Quincy, tax 1899,	118 58	
City of Quincy, water tax,	35 25	
Michael McGovern, labor,	10 00	
John Furney, labor,	1 25	
Jonas Shackley, labor,	14 35	
	<hr/>	\$335 78

PEABODY HOUSE.

John Ramsdell, Commission and Material	\$18 30	
Liston & Cox, paper,	6 98	
E. Menhinick, labor,	1 90	
J. S. Todd, plumbing,	15 95	
City of Quincy, tax 1899,	43 20	
E. G. Hayden, paper hanging,	9 32	
	<hr/>	\$95 65

SHEEN HOUSE.

Mrs. C. Beliveau, labor,	\$8 20	
A. R. Keith, repairs,	15 08	

E. G. Hayden, painting and paper hanging,	\$40 10	
Liston & Cox, paper,	2 90	
W. Porter & Co., insurance,	4 50	
T. Gullickson, painting,	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$75 78

CASEY AND MURPHY HOUSE.

E. Menhinick, labor,	\$2 80	
E. G. Hayden, paper hanging,	7 47	
Liston & Cox, paper,	3 50	
J. E. Keniley & Co., labor,	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$14 77

EXPENSE OF FUND.

H. Walter Gray, treasurer,	\$33 33	
J. H. Burdakin, recording release,	42	
M. A. Mitten, band for tree,	5 00	
New York and Boston Despatch Ex. Co.,	15	
Old Colony Trust Co., revenue stamps,	45	
Granite Bank, check book,	2 50	
Granite Bank, collecting bonds,	1 25	
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co., box,	25 00	
Revenue stamps,	3 50	
H. T. Whitman, plan,	6 00	
Blodgett, Merritt & Co., interest,	53 47	
City of Quincy, tax 1899,	203 01	
Geo. W. Prescott & Son, printing,	4 50	
W. Porter & Co., insurance,	158 00	
American Loan & Trust Co.,	4 32	
James F. Harlow, secretary,	100 00	
James F. Burke, treasurer,	366 67	
John O. Hall, auditor,	50 00	
S. Penniman & Son,	1 00	
Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co.,	129 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,147 57
Total expenditures,		\$27,667 17
Cash on hand December 31, 1899,		3,023 83
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		\$30,691 00

Income Account, 1899.

Received from investments,	\$13,366 19	
Expense of Fund,		\$1,669 55
Expense of Institute, "Bills approved by Board of Instruction," less amount received from sale of books,		10,458 30
Unexpended income,		1,238 34
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	\$13,366 19	\$13,366 19

Maintenance of Institute.

Quincy, City of, water,	\$15 00
Sanborn & Damon, repairs,	5 30
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	6 58
Fred F. Green, printing,	5 63
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	8 04
Smith Typewriter Co., supplies,	2 85
Longmans, Green & Co., books,	10 80
Pay roll, teachers,	880 00
Citizens' Gas Light Co.,	2 80
John W. Nash, supplies, janitor,	3 64
Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.,	2 00
Sibley & Ducker, books,	9 12
New York and Boston Despatch Ex. Co.,	2 10
Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,	9 51
Ginn & Co., books,	5 40
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	2 66
S. W. Fiske, janitor,	50 00
Pay roll, teachers,	830 00
New York and Boston Despatch Ex. Co.,	65
Alice Freeman Palmer, lecture,	27 00
S. W. Fiske, janitor,	50 00
Pay roll, teachers,	830 00
Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,	22 72
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	3 75
Ginn & Co., books,	1 13
Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.,	2 00
William Patterson, flowers,	2 55

Narragansett Machine Co., labratory supplies,	\$3 00
Margaret E. Dodd, labratory supplies,	3 39
Carlton Belting Co.,	5 13
S. W. Fiske, extra labor,	4 80
Citizens' Gas Light Co.,	3 40
Austin & Winslow-Gallagher Express Co.,	1 15
John W. Nash, supplies, janitor,	7 02
Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.,	5 80
A. A. Linscott, repairing clocks,	1 50
New York and Boston Despatch Ex. Co.,	80
A. F. Freeman, piano,	218 50
Pay roll, teachers,	875 00
Pay roll, teachers,	852 77
Harper Brothers, books,	91
Smith-Premier Typewriter Co., supplies,	1 35
T. H. Castor & Co., books,	4 24
American Book Co., books,	6 72
Narragansett Machine Co., gym. supplies,	1 73
Allyn & Bacon, books,	8 54
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	9 91
Ginn & Co., books,	3 60
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., books,	3 34
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	10 10
Citizens' Gas Light Co.,	1 80
F. W. Burnham, sharpening lawn mower,	1 25
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.,	3 38
J. F. Sheppard & Sons,	82 46
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	28 00
Narragansett Machine Co., labratory supplies,	1 50
New York and Boston Despatch Ex. Co.,	75
Quincy Electric Light and Power Co.,	2 00
Pay roll, teachers,	852 77
S. W. Fiske, supplies,	1 05
S. W. Fiske, extra labor,	1 00
F. A. Hill, lecture,	26 00
Eugenia M. Hatch, services,	5 00
John A. Lovell & Co., diplomas,	68 00

John A. Lovell & Co., engraving, . . .	\$34 50
The American Book Co., books, . . .	2 40
George Ames, hose,	12 83
Citizens' Gas Light Co.,	1 40
New York and Boston Despatch Ex. Co.,	1 30
William Patterson, flowers,	1 85
Charles C. Hearn, laboratory supplies, .	1 53
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	12 00
J. H. Richardson, orchestra,	24 20
Edward E. Babb & Co., books,	4 57
Quincy Electric Light and Power Co., .	4 00
Citizens' Gas Light Co.,	1 40
John W. Nash, supplies, janitor, . . .	2 02
William Patterson, flowers,	4 50
Mrs. John Ramsdell, supplies and services,	31 83
G. B. Bates, plumbing,	8 41
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	14 75
New York & Boston Despatch Express Co.,	1 40
S. W. Fiske, janitor,	77 77
S. W. Fiske, janitor,	77 77
Pay roll, teachers,	862 77
Charles W. Homeyer & Co., music books,	3 15
Charles W. Homeyer, & Co., music books,	1 34
B. Johnson, lumber,	8 71
Longmans, Green & Co., books,	9 96
Maynard, Merrill & Co., books,	21 00
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	14 33
T. H. Castor & Co., books,	6 30
Citizens Gas Light Co.,	5 80
Henry Holt & Co., books,	75
Sibley & Ducker, books,	1 75
Allyn & Bacon, books,	14 59
Willard Small, books,	5 14
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	79
W. G. Shaw, cleaning rugs,	2 88
Austin & Winslow-Gallagher Express Co.,	4 10
A. R. Keith, labor and materials, . . .	9 45
C. F. Pettengill, repairing clock, . . .	1 25
American Book Co., books,	18 80

Edward E. Babb & Co., books,	\$35 13
John W. Nash, supplies,	18 03
Ginn & Co., books,	66 84
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	34 75
New York & Boston Despatch Express Co.,	2 35
Paine Furniture Co.,	20 00
Butler, Sheldon & Co., books,	1 62
L. E. Knott & Co., chemicals,	38 62
N. J. Bartlett & Co., reference books .	35 99
Pay roll, teachers,	862 77
Geo. W. Prescott & Son,	3 25
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., art. supplies,	14 16
J. F. Sheppard & Sons,	408 82
Hickox Shorthand School,	3 00
Smith Premier Typewriter Co.,	7 32
American Book Co., books,	6 08
T. H. Castor & Co., books,	48
Citizens Gas Light Co.,	1 60
Horace Partridge, gymnastic supplies, .	1 50
Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,	17 34
New York & Boston Despatch Express Co.,	1 90
E. O. Vaile, "The Weeks Current," . .	45 60
Huey Bros., supplies,	9 25
S. W. Fiske, extra labor,	15 00
Pay roll, teachers,	862 77
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	6 80
Horace Partridge & Co., gymnasium sup- plies,	2 67
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	9 80
George D. Langley, supplies,	4 77
Georgiana C. Lane, art supplies,	5 05
W. T. Arnold, art supplies,	2 10
Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict, type- writer,	74 00
Pay roll, teachers,	862 77
C. W. Wilder,	1 92
City of Quincy, water,	15 06
William L. Chase, art supplies,	1 85
J. F. Sheppard & Sons,	9 75

Edward E. Babb & Co., book supplies,	\$8 65
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.,	11 84
Citizens' Gas Light Co.,	5 00
B. Johnson, lumber,	7 64
John W. Nash, supplies,	80
E. S. Beckford,	9 87
George D. Langley, supplies,	9 78
Austin & Winslow-Gallagher Express Co.,	1 10
Jordan, Marsh & Co., books,	2 80
New York and Boston Despatch Ex. Co.,	2 15
Carrie E. Small, sundries,	37 33
	<hr/> \$10,819 79
Less amount received from sale of books,	361 49
	<hr/> \$10,458 30

Statement of Fund January 1, 1900.

Personal property received from estate of Dr. Ebenezer Woodward,	\$30,089 83
Personal property received from executors of the will of Mrs. Mary A. W. Woodward,	51,556 78
Land sold,	81,715 16
Pews sold,	120 00
One-third interest in store No. 32 Faneuil Hall Square, Boston,	12,000 00
Income account,	144,038 68
Unexpended income,	9,259 76
Premium account,	1,172 25
	<hr/> \$329,952 46

INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

\$10,800 Central Vermont railroad 4's, re- organization 9 shares of stock,	\$9,460 00
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\$7,500 Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad 4's,	\$8,758 65
\$4,000 Philadelphia, Wilmington and Bal- timore railroad 5's,	4,200 00
\$10,000 New York and New England rail- road 6's,	10,103 75
\$4,000 Vermont and Massachusetts railroad 5's,	4,440 00
\$5,000 Union Pacific railroad 4's, 45 shares preferred stock, 30 shares com- mon stock,	10,593 75
\$4,000 Detroit, Grand Rapids and Western railroad 4's	5,328 52
\$9,000 Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad 5's,	9,762 50
\$5,000 City of Cleveland 4's,	5,262 50
\$5,000 City of Mineapolis 4's,	5,125 00
\$3,000 City of Sheboygan $4\frac{1}{2}$'s	3,120 00
25 shares Mount Wollaston Bank,	3,695 00
27 shares Boston & Albany railroad,	4,900 00
148 shares Old Colony railroad,	26,640 00
66 shares Fitchburg railroad, Pref.	7,260 00
10 shares Consolidated Vermont railroad,	500 00
$\frac{13}{32}$ interest store Faneuil hall square, Boston,	12,999 00
5 bonds Michigan telephone 5's,	5,100 00
Sheen property, Greenleaf street,	7,247 36
Peabody property, Norfolk Downs,	2,500 00
Farnum property, West Quincy,	4,317 83
Loans secured by mortgage,	121,700 00
Grading seminary lot,	6,780 62
Institute building,	47,134 15
Cash on hand December 31, 1899,	3,023 83
	<hr/> \$329,952 46

COST OF INSTITUTE DEDUCTED.

Amount of Fund, as per statement,	.		\$329,952 46
Institute building,	.	.	\$47,134 15
Grading lot,	.	.	6,780 62
		—————	\$53,914 77
Net Fund, January 1, 1900,	.		\$276,037 69

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES F. BURKE,

Treasurer of the Fund.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
PUBLIC SCHOOLS



CITY OF QUINCY,
MASSACHUSETTS,
For the Year 1899.

QUINCY:
GEO. W. PRESCOTT & SON,
115 Hancock Street,
1900.

School Committee

For 1899.

At Large.

MR. FRANK A. PAGE,	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1899
DR. HENRY C. HALLOWELL,	.	.	.	"	" 1900
DR. NATHANIEL S. HUNTING,	.	.	.	"	" 1901

By Wards.

Ward 1.	HON. CHARLES H. PORTER,	.	Term expires 1900
Ward 2.	MR. FREDERICK H. SMITH,	.	" " 1901
Ward 3.	MISS MABEL E. ADAMS,	.	" " 1901
Ward 4.	DR. JOHN H. ASH,	.	" " 1899
Ward 5.	DR. WELLINGTON RECORD,	.	" " 1900
Ward 6.	DR. FREDERICK J. PEIRCE,	.	" " 1899

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HON. CHARLES H. PORTER.

Secretary of the Board and Superintendent of Schools,

HERBERT WARREN LULL.

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Office Open : — Monday, 8 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5, and 7.30 to 8.30 P. M. Tuesday, 8 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 P. M. Wednesday, 8 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 P. M. Thursday, 8 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 P. M. Friday, 8 A. M. to 1 P. M., 2 to 5 P. M. Saturday, 8 to 12 A. M.

Regular Hours of Superintendent:—Monday, 7.30 to 8.30 P. M. Tuesday, 4 to 5 P. M. Thursday, 4 to 5 P. M. Friday, 12 to 1 P. M.

The regular meetings of the School Board are held at eight o'clock P. M. the last Tuesday in each month.

STANDING SUB-COMMITTEES FOR 1899.

FOR THE DIFFERENT SCHOOLS :

HIGH	.	.	.	Messrs. Porter, Hallowell, Miss Adams
ADAMS	.	.	.	Miss Adams, Messrs. Hunting, Smith
CODDINGTON	.	.	.	Messrs. Hallowell, Porter, Peirce
GRIDLEY BRYANT	.	.	.	Messrs. Porter, Ash, Smith
JOHN HANCOCK	.	.	.	Messrs. Hallowell, Ash, Miss Adams
LINCOLN	.	.	.	Messrs. Hunting, Ash, Miss Adams
MASSACHUSETTS FIELDS	.	.	.	Messrs. Page, Record, Peirce
QUINCY	.	.	.	Messrs. Peirce, Record, Page
WASHINGTON	.	.	.	Messrs. Smith, Record, Hunting
WILLARD	.	.	.	Messrs. Ash, Hallowell, Page
WOLLASTON	.	.	.	Messrs. Record, Page, Peirce

Finance and Salaries,

Messrs. Porter, Page, Hallowell.

Books, Supplies and Sundries,

Miss Adams, Messrs. Record, Smith.

Transportation,

Messrs. Record, Ash, Hunting.

Evening Schools,

Messrs. Peirce, Porter, Hunting.

Text Books,

Messrs. Page, Peirce, Hallowell.

Special Subjects,

Messrs. Ash, Smith, Miss Adams.

Report of School Committee.

To the Citizens of Quincy :—

The City of Quincy entrusts to its School Committee, an elected unpaid Board, the care of its schools. The City bestows and the School Committee assumes a heavy responsibility. It is no light matter to order the formal education of four thousand eight hundred children ; it is no light matter to select a proper head for the school system and bear him out in his policy ; it is no light matter to calculate expenses down to the fraction of a dollar, striving to keep a just balance between the actual needs of the schools on the one hand and proper economy on the other, but all this and much more the School Committee must do merely to keep the schools in running order. The framers of our City Charter evidently realized the responsibility which the Committee must bear, and endeavored to give to it commensurate power. Twice does the charter explicitly state that "the management and control of the schools shall be vested in a School Committee." In an amendment there is a provision that the School Committee must furnish a detailed estimate of the ensuing year's expenses, but nowhere does it appear that the framers of the charter contemplated giving to the City Council a veto power on any detail of management. This statement of the legal status of the Committee is hereby given for the information of the citizens.

The trend of educational thought today is distinctly in the direction of fitting the pupil for participation in the affairs of life itself rather than giving to him more or less varied book

knowledge. While teachers and school-officers join in disclaiming the possibility of furnishing the entire social training in the schools it is nevertheless desirable that no efforts should be spared to help forward every pupil toward self-reliant, thrifty, law-abiding manhood and womanhood.

Two plans, both tending toward character building, are being tried in various sections of our country; perhaps a mention of them is not out of place in any educational report.

The first is what is known as the "school bank" plan or the "penny savings" plan. In a good many cities and towns in the United States the school children have been encouraged to save their money, putting it into the care of the teacher or of some duly appointed person until the sum amounts to enough to be placed in a savings bank. The actual sums saved even in very poor districts are surprising. Children's savings have been known to relieve the family stress in many cases in cities where the plan has been tried. But it is for the sake of the valuable habits acquired that school authorities have come to value the plan, the habit of saving on the one hand, and the habit of self denial on the other, the learning of the lesson that the possession of money does not necessarily entail its immediate disbursement when no need for the money's worth exists.

The second plan is that known as the "self-government scheme," which has been tried with various results both east and west. Various critics of our schools assert that although we live in a republic we send our children to school under a despotism, a wise and paternal despotism, no doubt, and one which is growing wiser every day, but still a despotism, in which there is one law, the teacher's, and in which the government does not derive its just powers from the consent of the governed for the simple reason that the governed have no voice in the matter. These critics do not deny that young children are unfit to govern themselves, but they assert that older children and the young men and young women of the high schools ought to be given an opportunity to learn to govern themselves by exercising their judgment concerning their own affairs within reasonable limits before they are thrown entirely upon their own resources either in the world of work or the world of college. Conservative

teachers feel that experiments along this line would only end in anarchy and even progressive teachers look with doubt upon them, but there is no gainsaying the fact that practice generates power; and practice in self-government ought to be an aid to young people nearing the duties of citizenship. Both these matters are now under consideration by this Board.

In the former report the formation of an Education Society which might co-operate with teachers and the School Board in furthering the educational interests of the city, was urged. A distinct need for such an organization exists. It could aid directly and indirectly in many ways, especially in the upholding of right standards, and the cultivating of public interest in matters educational.

Your Committee has no radical changes in its policy to report. The internal organization of the High School has undergone some changes which are fully explained elsewhere by Principal Harper.

Last September a master's assistant was hired, who divides her day between the John Hancock and the Adams, thus giving the principals of both districts an opportunity for supervision. Five districts in the city now enjoy this privilege,—the Wollaston and Massachusetts Fields, which together have one principal, the Willard on account of its size, and the Coddington on account of its two buildings. The Committee believes this plan to be compatible with the strictest economy, inasmuch as by it the time and the influence of a principal who is paid fourteen hundred dollars is given to the children of a whole district instead of to the children of one grade.

The Committee is desirous of availing itself of the services of the electric car lines for the transportation to and from school of pupils resident in Germantown, Houghs Neck and Squantum. It is thought that for the sums now expended for this purpose these pupils might be allowed to go home at noon and return in time for the afternoon session, a plan the advantages of which are too obvious to need enumeration. An all-winter service on the lines mentioned would render this undertaking quite feasible.

The condition of the schools in detail will be found in the report of Mr. Lull, the Superintendent, in whose policy and

work the members of this Committee here take occasion to express their confidence.

At the regular meeting held Tuesday, December 26, it was voted to accept the report presented by Miss Mabel E. Adams, as the annual report of the School Board for 1899.

H. W. LULL, *Secretary*.

A LIBERAL EDUCATION.

That man I think has had a liberal education who has been so trained in his youth that *his body* is the ready *servant* of his will, and does with ease and pleasure all the work that, as a mechanism, it is capable of; whose intellect is a clear, cold, logic engine, with all its parts of equal strength, and in smooth working order; ready, like a steam engine, to be turned to any kind of work, and spin the gossamers as well as forge the anchors of the wind; whose mind is stored with a knowledge of the great and fundamental truths of Nature and of the laws of her operations; one who, no stunted ascetic, is full of life and fire, but whose passions are trained to come to heel by a vigorous will, the servant of a tender conscience; who has learned to love all beauty, whether of nature or of art, to hate all vileness and to respect others as himself—*Huxley*.

Report of the Superintendent.

“The commonwealth requires the education of the people as the safeguard of order and liberty.”

To the School Committee of Quincy:

This eighth report of the present Superintendent is the twenty-fifth of the series written by your Superintendents, and the fiftieth of the printed reports of the Quincy School Board. The present report, as has been the case in past years, will so deal with the events of 1899 that they may have some historical value when they are consulted by future Boards or by inquiring citizens.

When we consider material gains we can generally trace them back to a definite date on which they had their origin. Rarely is this definiteness possible in case of moral or educational growth. To some men, however, is given the supreme satisfaction of saying :—“Here began the good work.”

On Friday, April 20, 1900, a quarter century will have passed since Colonel Francis W. Parker, your first Superintendent, began his work in Quincy. His administration of the schools marked so distinctly an epoch in the educational history of Massachusetts that even to this day the name of this city is known far and wide, as well for its educational, as for its historical interests.

The Quincy Teachers' Association is considering a proper observance of this anniversary, and it will endeavor to do the affair full justice.

The four reports, 1850, 1875, 1889 and 1899, furnish the following interesting data :—

	1850.	1875*.	1889.	1899.
Valuation,	\$912,105	\$7,203,329	\$12,319,245	\$19,684,119
Population,	5,017	9,155	14,600†	25,000‡
Census,	1,079	1,727	3,495	4,999||
Whole number of different pupils,	1,044	1,544	3,287	5,024
Average number belonging,	————	1,363	2,619	4,405
Average daily at- tendance,	775§	1,301	2,516	4,138
Per cent. of at- tendance,	————	.95	.96	93.9
Per cent. of tar- diness,	————	2.81	.36	0.32
Teachers,	13¶	36	68	118

*Col. Parker's first report.

†The estimate in the report of 1889 for the first year of the city.

‡The State Board of Health's estimate is 25,653.

||September. In other years the census has been taken in May.

§Winter term.

¶In the winter, six were men.

The Outlook.

So great has been the demand on the finances of the Board to provide every child who is five years of age, or older, with desk, chair, books, and all other things absolutely necessary for his school work, that no growth in curriculum or in greater opportunities can be recorded this year. Although the ambitious citizen would gladly offer his child all that his neighbors in other cities and towns give their pupils, yet a rapidly maturing debt, the needs of other city departments, and the absolute necessity of providing for an annual increase of more than two hundred pupils, have prevented his desires from becoming realities.

As Quincy does not build for the future, but only for the conditions that exist and compel, the accommodations provided are, to a considerable extent, a series of makeshifts. One unfortunate result is the crowding forward of unprepared children into higher grades so that their chairs may be given to the new pupils. In September there was a marked decrease in the average stature of the pupils in some rooms. Misfit desks and chairs, however, are not the worst evil. Sixty children, and often more, confined in a room built for forty or fifty, are breathing foul air. This unsanitary condition, to say nothing of the inability of any teacher to do justice to large numbers, is a serious matter. The probabilities are that your Superintendents for many years will be obliged to record such statements as the following which are now true:—ten rooms contain sixty or more pupils, seventeen rooms contain fifty to sixty, and only forty-five contain forty to fifty.

Next to his home, the schoolroom should be the brightest, cheeriest, happiest place known to the average child. Of course, this room means more than walls and furniture. They are essential, but they do not make a school home. It is a pleasure to record the fact that there are rooms in Quincy which are very attractive and which suggest the ideal. To pass his school days in airy, sunny, inviting rooms, is the child's birthright; for in them, to a great extent, his future is being determined. The state recognizes this high moral obligation, and so, besides compelling attendance, it regulates the time, manner and place of the child's education. Quincy fails in many respects to meet these requirements, not only in these physical respects but in the curriculum. For a time no ill effect may be seen; but sooner or later, the children of this city must come into competition with the boys and girls from the other suburbs of Boston. Massachusetts is a manufacturing state and it must have, in order to hold its rank, trained hands guided by equally well developed brains. From her schools must go forth not only those who perform the manual work, but those who supervise it. It is needless to say that several years of careful education of the hand, a training which our neighbors offer, will be of great service to the men and women of the new generation. Why, citizen of Quincy, should not your child have it?

Furthermore, Quincy offers only a twelve-year course instead of a thirteen, she has not enriched her grammar course, she has no kindergarten, and practically she stands at the foot in the salary lists of the neighboring cities and towns, large or small. The good things of this life cost money; but what is life without them? Money well spent is a good investment for the future. It is beyond all question that an up-to-date and well developed school system, is the best advertisement for any city; and that the money spent is an investment which becomes a wealth producing factor.

School Property.

“The American common school is the half-way house between the American family and American citizenship, in which a dozen generations of American children, in succession, have each been fashioned in a wiser and nobler way for the peculiar life awaiting it in the years of responsible citizenship.”

In the usual condensed schedule of school property are two changes. The assessors of 1899 have increased the valuation of the Massachusetts Fields \$500 and decreased that of the Wollaston \$9,000.

School Property.

SCHOOLS.	BUILT.	EN- LARGED.	*VALUE.	ROOMS.	†CA- PACITY.	†SEATS.	MATE- RIAL.	HEAT- ING.	VENTI- LATION.	SANITARY.
High,	1894		\$75,000	12	400	411	Brick	Hot-air	Good	Dry closet
Adams,	1855	1879	15,000	10	466	467	Wood	Hot-air	Good	Dry closet
Coddington,	1855	1876	20,000	9 ¹	390	448	Wood	Stoves	None	Water ⁵
Gridley Bryant,	1896		37,000	9	426	426	Brick	Steam	Good	Dry closet
John Hancock,	1886		45,000	9	450	490	Brick	Steam	Fair	||
Lincoln,	1892		28,500	8	396	427	Brick	Steam	Good	Dry closet
Massachusetts Fields,	1896		38,000	9	426	426	Brick	Steam	Good	Dry closet
Quincy,	1873		19,700	8	288	342	Wood	Steam	None	Dry closet
Washington,	1858	1874	11,000	8	304	332	Wood	Hot-air	None	§
Willard,	1891		117,500	18 ²	891	900	Brick	Hot-air	Good	Dry closet
Wollaston,	1873	1890	27,000	8 ³	330	360	Wood	Hot-air	‡	Water ⁵
Old High,	1852		9,000	3	100 ⁴		Wood	Hot-air	None	§
Land, Germantown,			100							
Land, Quincy Neck,			100							
Furniture, books, apparatus, etc.,			17,000							
Grand Total,			\$459,900		4,867	5,029				

*Assessors' valuation 1899. †"Capacity" means the proper limit, and "Seats" the actual number. 1. Two build-ings in one school yard (6 and 3 rooms). 2. Third floor unfinished. 3. In addition a small hall poorly lighted. 4. As it now stands. 5. Connected with the sewer. ‡ Four rooms, none; four rooms, good. § Old-fashioned out-buildings. || Closets in an adjoining out-building that are "flushed" into a cesspool.

New Accommodations.

The newest school buildings were occupied for the first time in January, 1897. In December of the present year the Council voted an appropriation for a new nine-room brick building at the junction of Glendale road with Whitwell street in the Cranch hill district. This action confirms again the general statement that at least two years must elapse between the request of the Board for new accommodations and the realization of the request; for not before September, 1900, can the rooms be ready for use.

This Cranch hill building is not what the Board asked for, although it will be very acceptable. The Lincoln district needed relief most. By the new house it will be helped *indirectly*; that is, its pupils, now out of the district, will still remain outside; but they will be better accommodated in the John Hancock, which will send to the new house 170 pupils. The probabilities are, then, that the parents in the Lincoln district will still have the extraordinary privilege of sending their children away from the very doors of their own school building. The basement must be used as a recitation room. The average number of pupils per room is 51. In April of 1898, 22, and in April of 1899, 23 "five-year-olds" entered. What shall be done with the new ones next April?

As the children of the Lincoln must go to the John Hancock, a route more direct than Centre street or Brook road should be made. The Ward III playground extends from Water to Gilbert street. If a path were built over this low land, the distance would be reduced to at least one-third, and the 54 children living north of the Lincoln building would have a direct route to Gordon street.

The Quincy school stands almost on the southern bound of its district. Therefore it is far from the centre of its population. The rent and cost of running *one* overflow room are equal to the interest at three per cent. on \$9,000. This amount would build and furnish an addition of *two* rooms to the present building. There would also be a saving of coal and the expense of janitorship.

Average of pupils per room :—Adams, 42; Coddington, 46

(including basement); Gridley Bryant, 43 (one unoccupied room); John Hancock, 54; Lincoln, 51; Massachusetts Fields, 39 (one unoccupied room); Quincy, 43 (including overflow room); Washington, 39; Willard, 44 (including unfurnished room on third floor); Wollaston, 40 (including overflow in the hall).

The Washington school is in *no better condition* than in 1896 when the Council decided to *expend on it no more money for repairs*.

Principal Charles F. Harper will speak for the needs of the High school in his report to the Superintendent.

Pupils in the Eight Grades.

School.	Grade I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.
Adams,	36	37	44	51	51	41	44	39
	37	43						
Coddington,	46	58	61	46	50	49	48	46
	50				28*			
Gridley Bryant,	56	48	48	41	42	43	42	25
John Hancock,	57	59	69	57	55	44	44	29
	62							
Lincoln,	71	47	61	48	45	31	28	28†
Massachusetts Fields,	62	55	46	40	37	40	29	30
Quincy,	61	47	50	52	45	45	36	31
		24‡						
Washington,	54	44	46	43	35	34	31	24
Willard,	65	48	33	51	40	50	45	48
	61	46	45	52	43	40	49	
	45	49	45		31			
Wollaston,	63	56	45	46	42	32	39	33
Totals,	826	709	593	527	544	449	435	333

* Basement.

† Same room.

‡ Harmon Block.

Teachers.

“The ideal teacher is both born and made—
born sound in body, clear in intellect, quick in
sympathies, vigorous in will; made sound in char-
acter, broad and accurate in scholarship, neat in
person, the possessor of professional knowledge,
ideals and skill.”

At the close of schools in December there were in ser-
vice :

	MEN.	WOMEN.	TOTAL.
High School.			
Principal	1		1
Other teachers,	3	8	11*
Grammar and Primary.			
Principals,	8	1	9
Other teachers, Grade VIII,		5	
Grade VII,		11	
Grade VI,		11	
Grade V,		13	
Grade IV,		11	
Grade III,		12	
Grade II,		15	
Grade I,		15	93
Assistants,			18
Specials,			5
Total,			<hr/> 137

* This does not include the services of the special teachers of drawing, science and cooking. The three special teachers who give the whole or a part of their time to the High school are equivalent in days of service to one teacher all of the time and the proper fraction of their salaries is charged to the High.

SPECIALS:

Drawing: Teaches two days per week grades IX-XII and three days per week grades I-VIII.

Science: Teaches two and a half days grades IX-XII and two and a half days grades I-VIII.

Cooking: Twenty afternoon lessons to grade XII.

Sewing: Teaches five days per week grade V-VIII.

Music: Teaches three days per week grades I-VIII.

In the corps of teachers there are seven who taught while Col. Parker was Superintendent.

Eleven teachers have resigned during the year. See appendix.

Three have been obliged to ask for indefinite leave of absence due to illness.

Four have attended a normal school, but did not graduate.

Thirty-eight have graduated from a normal school.

Six have attended a college, but did not graduate.

Ten have graduated from a college.

Fifty-two are graduates of the Quincy High.

Seventy-six have their homes in Quincy.

Average salary of all teachers in the first eight grades (not including principals), \$490.92.

Average salary of all teachers in grades IX, X, XI, XII (not including principals), \$732.73.

Minimum and maximum salary of principals below High, \$1,000-\$1,400 ; in High, \$1,800-\$2,200.

It is a pleasure to record the fact that the Adams and the John Hancock schools have a master's assistant for a half of each day. This assistance makes the principals far more valuable to their schools.

The experiment of placing the Massachusetts Fields and the Wollaston schools under one principalship has been a success. The new Cranch hill building will naturally belong to the John Hancock district, and therefore, if the John Hancock principal is put in charge, he will need next September a full-time master's assistant.

Population and Census.

“The school is the point of contact between each generation and its successor. It is the only point at which one generation meets its successor systematically and with a definite purpose in view.”

Population in 1895,	.	.	.	.	.	20,712
Estimated in December by the	}	1898,	.	.	.	24,578
State Board of Health		1899,	.	.	.	25,653
Probable population,	.	.	.	.	.	25,000

Reported by Charles H. Johnson, Truant Officer, September, 1899.

Age.	Ward I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	Total
Five,	71	78	160	197	65	54	625
Six,	65	64	115	145	90	37	516
Seven,	58	47	145	120	83	43	496
Eight,	59	73	123	152	73	47	527
Nine,	63	47	77	124	70	44	425
Ten,	70	55	75	109	70	50	429
Eleven,	46	51	96	114	65	40	412
Twelve,	37	48	74	111	60	33	363
Thirteen,	59	50	88	107	63	50	417
Fourteen,	63	87	208	266	104	61	789
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1899,	591	600	1161	1445	743	459	4999
1898,	561	591	1147	1327	662	457	4745
1897,	550	586	1147	1378	603	456	4720
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1875,	1,727	1890,	3,365		1895,		4,571
1880,	1,311	1891,	4,045		1896,		4,702
1885,	2,416	1892,	4,377		1897,		4,720
1888,	1,877	1893,	4,320		1898,		4,745
1889,	3,495	1894,	4,443		1899,		4,999

This year, in accordance with the new State law, the truant officer took the census in September instead of in May. As there is a difference of four months between these dates, a part of the increase is due to this longer period.

Pupils.

“He who helps a child, helps humanity with a distinctness, with an immediateness which no other help given to human creatures at any other stage of their human life can possibly give again.”

This year all statistics relating to attendance refer to the complete school year beginning September, 1898, and ending in June, 1899. Ever since the city was chartered the school reports have observed the civil year; but the State Board of Education, in order that the whole State may agree in its educational data, has decided that the year shall begin in September. This change will affect comparisons with previous years. The June totals will not be as large as the December.

Whole number of different pupils: Boys,	2,571	} 5,024
Girls,	2,453	
Average number belonging,		4,405
Average daily attendance,		4,138
Per cent. of daily attendance,		93.9
Per cent. of tardinesses,		0.32
Per cent. of dismissals,		0.81
Cases of truancy (different pupils),		65

The opportunity of earning money on the golf field has been too strong a temptation for some of the boys. Furthermore, the fact that the boys enjoy a “day off” in the local court, and the consequent “hero worship” that follows on their return to their companions, make the position of the truant officer, to say the least “not a happy one.” Only one truant has been sent to Walpole during the year. The discipline of a truant school is

the only possibility of salvation for some boys; for they are orphans, although their parents may be alive.

We are justly proud of the high level to which we as a people have climbed; but we are constantly reminded by individuals that not all have climbed. It would surprise the inexperienced to know how many parents and how many employers of labor hold compulsory school laws in contempt. One reason is, because both parties deny the right of the state to compel; and a second is, because they escape punishment. The advent of state inspectors, though unannounced at this office, is well known; for there is an immediate demand for certificates by those who have been at work for months. There is, too, a constant request for certificates for those not yet fourteen years of age. Present needs, sometimes real and pressing, often selfish, decide the fate of the child. His whole future is as nothing compared with a few dollars now. Then there are a few cases of widows with large families of young children for whom the state should make special provision. The reason for evading the law is often not the money the child can earn but the fact that the child by caring for younger children makes it possible for the mother to go out to her work and thus support the family. Such cases are very pathetic, but the state makes no exception; a child *must* go to school. The state enacted the following June 2, 1898, (See Public Statutes, Chapter 496, Section 31.)

SEC. 31. Any person having under his control a child between SEVEN and FOURTEEN years of age who fails for FIVE day sessions or TEN half-day sessions WITHIN ANY PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS while under such control, to cause such child to attend school as required by section twelve of this act, the physical or mental condition of such child not being such as to render his attendance at school harmful or impracticable, upon complaint by a truant officer, and conviction thereof, shall forfeit and pay a fine of not more than TWENTY dollars. Any person who induces or attempts to induce any child to absent himself unlawfully from school, or employs or harbors while school is in session any child absent unlawfully from school, shall forfeit and pay a fine of not more than FIFTY dollars.

Money.

“Every child in Massachusetts receives on an average seven years of schooling, while every child in the United States to-day receives only four years and three-tenths; the ratio is 70 to 43. The average daily wealth-producing man, woman and child in Massachusetts is 73 cents, while in the United States it is only 40 cents. The value of the labor is directly in proportion to the amount of schooling.”

Valuation, 1899,	. . . . .	\$19,684,319.00
Gain over, 1898,	. . . . .	\$447,487.00
Total tax levy, 1899,	. . . . .	\$377,938.92
Rate per thousand,	. . . . .	\$19.20

Budget of the School Board.

	Asked.	Adjusted.*	Readjusted.†
Salaries,	\$75,200	\$75,200	\$76,048.61
Fuel,	6,500	5,200	5,028.32
Janitors,	6,200	6,200	6,234.00
Transportation,	1,000	925	879.30
Books, Supplies, Sundries,	8,500	8,200	7,519.93
Evening Schools,	1,500	1,275	1,289.84
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Total,	\$98,900	\$97,000	\$97,000.00
Appropriation,		\$97,000	\$97,000.00

* By vote of the Board in May to meet the cut down by the Council of \$1,900.

† By vote in November and December to pay the teachers their December salaries. If this transfer had not been made, each teacher would have lost one-tenth of the salary for this month,

Summary of Expenditures :

Salaries,	\$76,048.61
Fuel,	5,028.32
Janitors,	6,234.00
Transportation,	879.30
Books, Supplies, Sundries,	7,519.93
Evening Schools,	1,289.84
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Total,	\$97,000
Appropriation,	\$97,000

It is a very unpleasant duty to announce a deficit. This is the first experience of your present Superintendent during his eight years of service in Quincy. The last statement of this nature was made in the report of 1892 for the year 1891.

In April, 1899, 237, and in September 323, new pupils five years old entered school. One half of this total of 560 is offset by those who graduate or leave school for other reasons. The increase, then, is nearly 280. (The difference between the total number of pupils at the end of September, 1898 and September, 1899, was 279). This increase is more noticeable in the John Hancock. There the first six rooms in succession have numbered during the last term, 62, 63, 64, 72, 64, 64. Six assistants were demanded to meet these conditions.

At the High School a similar condition was expected, but in the forlorn hope that somehow the inevitable might be avoided, nothing was done to provide for an overflow until school began in September. The overflow was just one large class, the second-year business. Even then all the rooms, including alcove and principal's office, were crowded.

To meet this emergency, two new teachers were engaged, stores were hired and furnished, and a janitor secured. Within two weeks the business class was installed in new quarters only a few feet from the school building. These four causes of extra expense, however, were not all. The new pupils were provided with new books and new supplies; for the stock on hand was not sufficient to meet the new demands.

Meantime, because of a demand for a radical increase in the rent of the overflow at Atlantic, a new room was obtained. This necessitated moving and refitting.

On the last Tuesday of September, the Board notified the Council that it would be unable to live within the appropriations and asked that \$1,500 of the \$1,900 which was taken from the budget should be appropriated. As the Council refused without permitting the Board to present its reasons for the deficit, the following statement is made.

The deficit is due to extra teaching force, to increased demand for books and supplies, to new rents, to extra janitorship, to new furnishings and fittings, and also to the necessity of doing work left undone last year because of the cut of \$3,104. All of these needs were anticipated in the budget, but were not granted by the Council.

The coal on hand cost \$2,600 last summer; but because of the great advance in price, it is now worth \$3,000.

Repairs.

John T. Cavanagh, Commissioner of Public Works, reports the following outlay for repairs on school buildings:

High,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$117 61
Adams,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	123 66
Coddington,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	130 75
Gridley Bryant,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	81 92
John Hancock,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	233 36
Lincoln,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	223 60
Massachusetts Fields,	302 30
Quincy,	88 25
Washington,	84 86
Willard,	235 31
Wollaston,	151 01
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								\$1,772 63

No building has been painted this year and no blackboards repaired.

Average Cost Per Pupil.

The dividend includes every cent the Board has spent from January 1 to December 31 and the deficit, excepting \$1,289.84, the cost of the Evening Schools.

The divisor may be (1) the whole number of different pupils, 5,024; or (2) the average number belonging, 4,405; or (3) the average daily attendance, 4,138. All three of these divisors refer to the school year, September, '98, to June '99. (See page 19).

Cost:— 1, \$18.37 ; 2, \$22.07 ; 3, \$23.51.

The books, supplies, and sundries account has been expended as follows:—Three rents, care of School Board rooms, truant officer, census, annual reports, repairs, new furnishings, labor, lighting, expressing, office expenses, water, \$1,936.05. Books, stationery, apparatus, printing, diplomas and graduations, supplies for sewing, cooking, drawing and science, \$5,583.88.

Unfortunately the different cities of Massachusetts do not agree on the basis of these statistics, and therefore it is necessary to know the local conditions. In some places all the fuel is purchased by another department and charged to it. In others the ratio of the total appropriation of the School Board to the total tax, to the valuation, or to the population is seemingly low, because of the large attendance in parochial schools. Comparisons are worthless unless the conditions are known.

Additional Statistics.

By the sixty-second annual report of the Board of Education, Quincy holds the following rank among 353 towns and cities of the State and 28 of the County:

1. Amount of money appropriated for each child between 5 and 15 years: State, 135; County, 20.

2. Percentage of valuation appropriated to public schools: State, 131; County, 12.

3. Ratio of average attendance to the whole number of children between 5 and 15 years: State, 204; County, 21.

4. Comparative amount of money appropriated for each child included in the average number belonging: State, 86; County, 13.

Loss of Pupils from Grade to Grade.

Grade.	'92	'93	'94	'95	'96	'97	'98	'99
I,	653	672	691	663	764	820	807	826
II,	450	400	522	479	530	522	582	709
III,	406	421	428	496	472	545	541	593
IV,	393	402	428	399	478	460	543	527
V,	361	370	383	441	409	468	466	544
VI,	319	314	358	344	411	382	433	449
VII,	253	291	302	302	329	383	371	435
VIII,	214	227	251	260	245	270	336	333
IX,	86	124	127	157	189	195	197	236
X,	48	67	77	68	88	111	117	122
XI,	30	33	46	50	36	45	51	62
XII,	19	25	26	32	35	33	40	48

When making comparisons, read diagonally. For example, read grade V of '92 as ; 361, 314, 302, 260, 189, 111, 51, 48. Remember that in the reduction from 111 to 51 is included the business class of 33 pupils who graduated in June 1897. A part of the apparent loss between VIII and IX is due to the pupils who have entered other secondary schools. This year the number is 59.

High School

“No other institution could have diffused so widely the light of modern science, could have scattered so widely the fruit of modern discoveries, could have supplied so widely that general intelligence which is the basis of modern intellectual life, could have created so wide and intelligent a demand for the products of modern literary effort, or developed an appetite so universal for the modern periodical.”

In September, 1892, Mr. Frederic Allison Tupper came to Quincy to become principal of the High school. It is not nec-

essary to say at this late date that his scholarship, his culture, and his ability to deal with young men and women at a very critical age, made his principalship of the school a success, for the remarkable growth and development of the school speak louder than words. Therefore our cordial congratulations at his deserved election to the Brighton High school were tinged with regrets at our loss and with anxiety regarding a worthy successor.

The conditions were made more embarrassing by the probability of the additional loss of the submaster, Mr. Henry W. Porter. The probability became a reality in June when Mr. Porter was called to the Abington High school. His resignation marked the close of three years of unusually efficient service.

After careful search, personal visitation, and due deliberation, Mr. Charles F. Harper of New Britain, Connecticut, was unanimously selected and elected. His untiring zeal, his quick grasp of the conditions, his executive ability, and his cordial relations with teachers and pupils have shown the wisdom of the selection.

For submaster, Mr. Walter Severance of the High school in Portland, Maine, was secured. His work proves the selection well made.

To Principal Harper's report following this, the attention of the Board is called.

Grammar School Graduation.

Last June in the High School hall 324 graduates received diplomas certifying that they had passed through the first eight grades of our schools with more or less success. This diploma does not admit to the High School. It merely indicates that the pupil has passed through the course. During the year parents have been notified more than once that their children cannot be promoted and therefore it is no surprise to them. These are chil-

dren who have dragged along from year to year without ambition, who are fifteen, sixteen and even seventeen years of age, whose home surroundings are not helpful, and whose teachers have tried in vain to inspire to greater exertion. There, are too, very faithful, conscientious and well-behaved children who were "born short" and who are, therefore, allowed to go on from grade to grade, absorbing here and there a little, but they cannot do the work of a High school and they should seek some employment. The diploma soothes the feelings of these children and of their parents, and so much friction is avoided.

In June, 202 full grade and 112 conditioned certificates of admission to the High were given and of these 207 entered the High School in September.

The speaker for the graduation was Col. Edward Anderson, who ably maintained the high standard set in previous years by Mr. Henry T. Bailey, Miss Sarah L. Arnold, Superintendent W. C. Bates, and Miss Mabel E. Adams.

Class of June.

	Diplomas.	Full Certificates.	Conditioned.	High.	Adams Academy.	Woodward Institute.	Thayer Academy.	Other Schools.	Left School.	Returned.
Adams,	49	35	14	33	3	5	0	3	5	0
Coddington,	38	16	22	26	1	3	1	2	5	0
Griddley Bryant,	31	17	14	21	2	1	0	0	7	0
John Hancock,	33	21	12	22	2	0	0	0	9	0
Lincoln,	16	7	7	10	0	1	0	0	5	0
Massachusetts Fields,	22	14	6	13	2	1	0	3	3	0
Quincy,	33	19	14	23	1	1	1	0	7	0
Washington,	23	8	12	13	2	1	0	1	5	1
Willard,	54	47	7	31	10	3	0	0	9	1
Wollaston,	25	18	6	15	4	2	2	1	1	0
Grand total,	324	202	114	207	27	18	4	10	56	2

Grammar Graduates.

	'89.	'90.	'91.	'92.	'93.	'94.	'95.	'96.	'97.	'98.	'99.
Adams, . . .	20	27	34	40	42	36	27	42	38	40	49
Coddington, .	29	27	25	31	26	26	25	35	32	37	38
Gridley Bryant,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	17	31
John Hancock,	—	—	—	—	9	22	13	24	16	29	33
Lincoln, . .	—	—	—	—	14	22	20	25	17	14	16
Mass. Fields, .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	22
Quincy, . .	14	24	18	27	28	25	33	32	20	27	33
Washington, .	16	18	19	23	27	27	15	22	19	28	23
Willard, . .	31	29	39	27	32	28	47	42	46	39	54
Wollaston, .	13	21	20	27	35	39	35	34	35	31	25
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals,	123	146	155	175	213	225	215	256	244	279	324

Evening Schools.

The statistics refer to the school year beginning in the autumn of 1898 and closing in the spring of 1899.

Adams : — Began October 24; closed February 10. Whole number of men, 93; women, 15. Average attendance, 37. Number of sessions, 42. Average number of teachers, 2.9.

Willard : — Began October 24; closed February 10. Whole number of men, 98; women, 19. Average attendance, 38.6. Number of sessions, 28.* Average number of teachers, 3.3.

Evening Drawing School, (Old High) Mechanical : — Began October 25, closed February 25. Whole number of men, 25; women, 1. Average attendance, 10.7. Number of sessions, 49. Number of first-year certificates, 2. Number of second-year diplomas, 2.

Freehand : — Began October 24; closed February 24. Whole number of men, 17; women, 6. Average attendance, 10.7. Number of sessions, 46. Number of first-year certificates, 2. Number of second-year diplomas, 1.

*The great storm of November destroyed the electric light service so that no sessions could be held until December 5.

The schools are now in session under the same conditions as last year with one exception ; viz., the pupils now lose membership unless they attend 75 per cent. of the sessions.

As the schools in many cases seem to be an asylum from storm or cold, or a last resort when there is no other attraction, some regulation of this nature is imperative.

Special Meetings.

“Education is the continued enrichment of the individual.”

The following meetings have been held either by the the Teachers' Association or by the Superintendent. The central object has been the growth of the teacher to the end that better work may result.

- January. Superintendent H. W. Lull,
 “General Work of the Term.”
 *Booker T. Washington of Alabama,
 “The Black Belt.”
- February. *William Everett, LL. D., of Quincy,
 “The Poetry of Walter Scott.”
 Superintendent B. B. Russell of Brockton,
 “Law and Habit.”
 Superintendent W. H. Small of Chelsea,
 “The Historical Instinct.”
- March. Walter Sargent of the State Board,
 “Picture Study.”
 *Elbert Hubbard of New York,
 “Rembrandt.”
- April. Superintendent H. W. Lull,
 “General Work of the Term.”
- May. *Henry Clapp of Boston,
 “Heroines in Shakespeare.”
 *Professor J. W. Churchill of Andover,
 “Readings.”
- September. Superintendent H. W. Lull,
 “The Work of the New Year.”

- October. Wendell G. Corthell of Wollaston,
 "Personal Experiences in Rome."
 Superintendent H. W. Lull,
 "The Teacher."
- November. Principal W. A. Baldwin of Hyannis,
 "Purpose in Education."
 *William Everett, LL. D.,
 "The Poetry of Thomas Moore."
- December. Superintendent A. L. Safford of Beverly,
 "Faith."
 Colonel Edward Anderson of Quincy,
 "The Teacher."

*Quincy Teachers' Association.

Note: Mr. Washington did not set a price for his lecture, but accepted a contribution from the audience of \$55.59 for his Tuskegee Normal school in Alabama.

Although no compilation of the many ways in which teachers have developed and strengthened themselves for better work is published this year, nevertheless they have been busy in many different lines directly and indirectly connected with their profession. In some cases teachers have incurred considerable expense—a use of their scanty salary that they can ill afford.

Quincy Grammar Masters' Club.

Officers for 1899:

Charles E. Finch, Jr., President.

Chester H. Wilbar, Vice President.

Austin W. Greene, Secretary and Treasurer.

The Club holds monthly meetings during the school year at which a member presents a paper on a given subject, and this is followed by a general discussion.

The following subjects have been considered: —

1. Nature study in Grades VII and VIII. Speaker, Austin W. Greene.

2. Reading in Grade VIII. First meeting. Speaker, Mary E. Dearborn. Second meeting, question box.
3. What a principal can do for his teachers. Speaker, Albert Candlin.
4. Arithmetic. Speaker, James M. Nowland.
5. Mathematical Geography, a round table talk conducted by Mr. Edward Southworth, Master of Mather School, Boston.
6. Spelling. Speaker, Charles Sampson.

The club closed the year's work with the annual banquet at which Mr. Arthur C. Boyden of Bridgewater gave an interesting address on the "Modern Trend of Educational Thought," and Superintendent H. W. Lull spoke on the "Evolution of Woman."

Training Class.

In accordance with a vote of the Board in June, 1898, *and after a notice of one year*, no training class was organized in September, 1899. Naturally this change has met with some adverse criticism. The class has been a part of our school system for more than a score of years, and it will be difficult for many who have not realized the radical changes going on all about us, and who have personal reasons for preferring this short cut to the teacher's desk, to approve of the new departure. However, this action of the Board will make it possible to bring into the schools a corps of teachers much better fitted and with a broader conception of the work.

If Quincy would hold her own, she must take another step ; viz., demand a normal training and also a half-year of independent experience elsewhere before election in this city. As an exception to the first requirement, a successful experience of three years, or a college diploma, might be considered equivalent to a normal education.

Quincy Home Science Association.

During the summer of 1899 this Association conducted summer kindergartens in the Adams, John Hancock, and Gridley

Bryant schools. In 1897, one school, in 1898, two schools, and in 1899, there were three schools supported. Other parts of the city have seen the results, have helped to pay for them, and they are hoping that their districts may soon have a share of the benefits. The Association, if it had the money, would be pleased to establish in the centre of the city a summer manual training room for boys of grammar school age. Such a room could accommodate twelve classes of twenty-five boys per week. These classes should be restricted to those boys who have no home work and no vacation outside the city.

Wollaston School.

Because of an overheated furnace the floor timbers of this school caught fire during the noon intermission, March 17. Several teachers happened to be in the building at the time, and by their energetic and sensible effort the fire was extinguished with but little aid from the Fire Department. As a recognition of this effort by the teachers, this Board directed the secretary to extend its thanks to the teachers of the Wollaston school.

Medical Inspection.

Does anyone doubt that the health of the children of the public schools would be improved if a competent physician regularly visited the schools? Conscientious teachers would gladly anticipate disease and encourage cleanliness; but they dislike to make a mistake and to irritate parents by sending children home. If, however, they were acting under the orders of an authorized inspector, they could do much to prevent nine children from suffering because of the tenth. Whatever extra cost Quincy paid the physician would probably be offset by a decrease in illness, because of separation and disinfection, or by anticipation of the common diseases of childhood.

Gifts.

“School buildings should be the highest expression of sanitary and educational wisdom, *as well as of civic pride.*”

By the exertions of the teachers and pupils, some of the schools have received during the past year, substantial gifts. All the schools without expense to the School Department, have new flags. One has a new piano; another a valuable collection of slides for the stereopticon; still another a large crayon copy of the oil painting of Gridley Bryant that hangs in the Old State House; others have pictures and silk flags for the individual rooms. It is very pleasing to be able to record this generous response of the parents to the efforts of the children to provide for themselves.

Last June the teachers and pupils in one district gave an evening reception to their parents. This reception included an exhibition of work. The presence of a large number of fathers was particularly noticeable. Not only was the occasion very enjoyable and instructive, but it taught the children how to conduct such an affair, as they both entertained their friends and presented them to their honorary guests.

Whatever tends to unify the parents, the pupils, and the teachers, deserves commendation.

Demands of the Times.

“The glory of a true democracy is equality of opportunity.”

A false conception of the duties of the teacher and the purpose of the school is abroad. One man complained because “six school boys could not tie a knot that would not slip;” another that the new boy could not “do up a bundle;” a third that the young graduate “could not measure lumber;” and a fourth that his applicant for a position could not “begin to add with his clerk.” Each man would have the boy know what he had learned by experience in his own line of work. The true complaint should be this: “these boys *can’t learn* the prelimi-

naries of my business ; their minds can't grasp the conditions, and their hands cannot respond." If such a complaint is true, when a boy is not "born short," then the cause *may be* in the school. As every successful man out in the world is successful because of his aptitude for his particular business, so it may be that the boy has sought a livelihood for which he has no natural ability.

There are those who believe that the employer should test the general intelligence of the applicant. How does he think ; how large is his world ; can he apply himself to anything ; what are his ideas of right and wrong, of honesty, responsibility, cleanliness, neatness, order, punctuality ; what is he reading, what is his idea of "a good time." A boy of average intelligence who can answer these questions satisfactorily, may tie a knot that slips on the first trial, may be slow in the beginning, may confess complete ignorance of the details of any business, but, if his spirit is right, he will say : — "No, sir, I can't do this and I don't know that ; but my school training of eye, hand, and brain will soon enable me to understand and perform whatever you ought to require of me."

The reflection on the school, then, is this ; — not that the boy can't *do* ; but he can't *learn*. The schools must prevent the growth of a new generation with "narrow-gauge," near-sighted minds, whose little back-yards are their great world. The graduate of the grammar school who has a record of excellent, of good, or, perhaps, of only fair, goes forth into the world after eight years of school life in rooms numbering from 40 to 70 pupils with a foundation on which to build. Please notice that these years give only the beginnings. This foundation includes much practice in reading, writing, and speaking English ; it contains the fundamentals of arithmetic, including the simple forms of business life ; and it treats of the growth, development and resources of our country. It deals with the reading, singing and enjoyment of real music, and with the elements of drawing so the child may express himself and appreciate the harmony and beauty all about him. It means more than the old time geography, for it embraces a crude conception of the wonders of this world-home, wonders of the mineral, plant, and animal kingdoms, wonders of the land, the sea, and the heavens, wonders

that the average adult has never even dreamed of. It contains in many places, not in Quincy (excepting sewing for four grades and cooking for one,) a training of the hand. This is not for the purpose of teaching any trade, but for the moral element in exact hand work and for its reaction on the mind and the soul, to the end that the whole child may be schooled.

It should be added that much of the reading material is real literature — not diluted for the child, but selected and carefully graded to his mental status. Other reading material is geographical and historical, and also of a scientific nature; and thus it binds together the varied school curriculum. In addition every teacher of grades V, VI, VII, VIII, is supervising the outside reading of the pupils. In every room in a special book is kept a record of every child's reading. Furthermore, each teacher takes from the Crane library suitable books for those lacking ambition and places them in the hands of the pupils with a personal request to read them.

Attention should be called to the fact that although this synopsis would seem to indicate a very broad curriculum, yet the treatment of it tends to reduce the time element; because it is tied together by connecting links so that a reading, a language, a history, a science, or even a drawing lesson, may all be related and may more firmly impress on the mind the *one* main topic of a lesson.

Aside from the breadth of the course, however, is another purpose. The child has a greater opportunity of "finding himself." In this seeming diversity are many "windows looking out into the world." Through these he may catch a glimpse of his particular gift, his future, his possibilities, his vocation. At least the teacher may see the child's bent and so advise and direct that he may fit himself for his life work. Certainly this is no vain expectation, for since the school departed from the "3 R's" there is much more to appeal to the child, to develop latent talent, and to stimulate his zeal.

Vocation is not all. One-third of the day for work, one-third for rest and refreshment, one-third for sleep, was the old-time motto. The great question today for the laborer of eight hours is what shall become of the second eight. This is a vital

subject. Does the present curriculum of the elementary schools in any way help to answer it? If so, then there is one justification for it. Does the graduate seek the street and other public resorts in order to "kill his time?" Does the graduate find in his broader conception of life, in the new possibilities and opportunities something that appeals to him so that an avocation is assured which shall give to Quincy a home-loving, self-improving, law abiding citizen? The police courts seem to answer the question in the affirmative.

When, however, all has been said there is still a broad field of school work which has not been touched. What of the school habits and virtues inculcated in a good school? The list is too long to describe or even to catalogue; but it is self evident that much of this life depends not on what we know, but on what we feel and what we are. The school of today does more for the child in these respects than has ever been done before in the history of man. Our teachers are particularly strong in this respect. There is not at this date a demoralized room, as far as discipline is concerned, in Quincy. This is by no means a common result, as those who travel through the state well know. It is with great pleasure that I pay this tribute to our teaching corps.

With thanks for the cordial support of this Board, the teachers, the parents, and the local press, this report is respectfully submitted.

HERBERT WARREN LULL,

Superintendent of Schools.

December 26, 1899.

"Man is a unity; there is a solidarity throughout his nature. There is an interplay and interpenetration of mind and body. A developed physique, hand-work, intellectual pursuits trained will, moral purpose are inseparable. They are confederate in building sane and symmetrical manhood. Let them keep step and time."

Quincy High School.

Mr. H. W. Lull, Superintendent of Schools,

DEAR SIR:—In accordance with your request it gives me pleasure to submit the following report of the Quincy High School for the year ending Dec. 21, 1899.

The year has been one of steady progress. The deeper interest, the more certain purpose, and the broader awakening to the opportunities and privileges offered, are all indications of growth. Mutual co-operation on the part of teachers and of pupils has solved, in a great measure, the question of discipline; the development of strong, self-reliant, self-directing individualities has determined the methods of teaching. As the sympathy between the various parts of the school has continued to deepen under this kind of teaching, the results in character building—the true aim of education—have become more and more evident.

The increasing number of those who continue their education beyond the High School is a sure indication that a healthful thirst for knowledge is being stimulated. Of the class which graduated in June 1899, twenty-three, or nearly fifty per cent., are continuing their education either in higher institutions of learning, in graduate work, or in teaching. The higher percentage of daily attendance, the fewer requests for dismissal, and the growth from 407 in 1898 to 474 in 1899, are all evidences of the success of the school.

In an endeavor to meet the just demand of modern education—that the individual receive greater consideration—several changes have been made in the course of study, the program, and the general organization of the school. The amount and the

quality of work accomplished during the past term, and the testimony of the teachers seem to indicate that the changes were wise.

Self-active interest is the greatest motive power in producing the gradually increased, daily effort necessary for real mental growth. To conform more closely to this principle, the Program of Subjects has been changed by the removal of the requirement which compelled pupils to choose "Courses of Study," and by the substitution of a system in which all subjects are elective with the single exception of English, which is required during the first two years. A diploma may be granted when sixteen courses are completed, whether it is at the end of more or of fewer than four years. The value of the change becomes evident when the welfare of the individual is considered, since, under this system, health, interest, and ability determine the amount and the kind of work expected of each pupil. Any subject, satisfactorily completed, may be counted as one of the sixteen necessary for graduation.

To meet still further the needs of the individual, the double-period alternating program has been introduced as an experiment. The day has been divided into four periods of about sixty-five minutes each. The subjects alternate on successive days. A pupil who carries four subjects has two periods for study and two for recitation, each day. In almost every case the periods of study alternate with those of recitation—about half the school being engaged in study while the other half is reciting. To accomplish as much work, as was done under the former program, requires that the lessons shall be doubled in length. The result of the experiment, during the past term, seems to indicate that as much work as formerly has been accomplished, but at a less expenditure of time. The change also provides an opportunity to transfer pupils from division to division, as their work and ability demand, without disturbing the program of the rest of the school.

Certain changes in the English work are necessary if the pupils are to be taught to express their thoughts in an easy manner, to understand the expressed thoughts of others, to cultivate a taste for good literature, and to secure the means for extending their acquaintance with good books. I recommend

that an additional teacher be secured for this department so that the size of the divisions may be sufficiently reduced to allow of daily, class practice in composition, corrected by the teachers while the pupils are writing; and of longer themes or essays, prepared at home, and criticised by the teachers in the presence of the writers alone. To meet the requirement for literature, a series of sets of good books should be provided for use in the first and second years.

The increase in the size of the school, so far beyond the number for which the building was intended when it was built, hampers the whole work to a very great degree. Not only is it necessary to use corridors, laboratories, and office for recitation purposes, but also three neighboring stores. All of these are poorly adapted for recitation purposes, because of the light and of the lack of suitable desk and blackboard accommodations. The use of the laboratories interferes with the science work, because the re-arrangement of apparatus takes time that should be given to experiments. The overcrowding of the building has deprived the school of a biological laboratory and of a room where the school can assemble, as a whole, for general or public exercises. These are both serious losses. The school has sixty-seven pupils more than last year and the indications point towards a similar growth for the coming year. All these facts prove that, if the success of the school is to be unimpaired, some steps must be taken in the near future to enlarge the present accommodations.

Should not the needs of the pupils who are forced to meet the practical problems of life, immediately upon graduation from the High School, receive further attention? They will need muscles trained by construction, by drawing, and by writing, to obey their wills. Will it not be possible to offer them an education on even broader lines than the present? Some form of Manual Training would best meet their requirements while it would furnish an inducement to many more pupils to continue their education to the end of the course. In my opinion, the subject of Manual Training should receive careful and full investigation when the question of ample accommodations is under consideration.

Certain minor changes in the Program of Subjects will broaden the work on to a basis more helpful for all classes. I recommend that history be extended through the four years by the addition of a course in General History in the second year; that a modern language, preferably German, be introduced into the first year; that the Business subjects be extended through the four years by offering additional courses in Bookkeeping, in Stenography, and in Industrial History; and that second year courses be offered in the sciences.

The Rock Island Fund is slowly increasing the reference library of the school, but not nearly rapidly enough to meet the demands of the various departments. Four large dictionaries, two sets of encyclopedias, and other books of common reference in similar quantities, are not adequate to supply the needs of four hundred and seventy-four pupils. Will it not be possible either through actual purchase by the city or through gifts of the citizens to remedy this condition?

In closing, I wish to thank the members of the Committee, the Superintendent, and the assistants for the hearty support and for the ready co-operation which have made possible the prosperity and the continued success of the school, and to extend to the parents and to the friends of the school, a cordial invitation to visit at any time.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. HARPER,

Principal.

Report of Truant Officer.

To H. W. Lull, Superintendent :

I herewith submit my second annual report as Truant Officer for the year beginning January 1, and ending December 31, 1899.

My routine work has been the same as last year ; viz., visiting each school on stated days and receiving from the principal the report of the cases needing my attention. In addition to this I have personally investigated the complaints I received of persons employing children contrary to law. My work has also led me into a large field of charity and through the generous response of the kind people of the city I have provided a large number with shoes so that the children might attend school.

A great deal of my time has been spent in looking up non-attendance and in some cases it is astonishing to find how parents neglect their duty. They cannot tell whether their children are at school or not. If this continues I shall feel compelled to put them into court. The parents owe a great deal to the school and the home should be the kindest support of the teacher and should act in co-operation. Both parents and teacher are working for one end, and that is, the heart culture of the child.

Habitual truants, I find in every case after investigation, have had free access to the street at night. Here the seeds of all manner of evil are sown. To remedy this in a measure, I believe the Truant Officer should have power to enforce the Curfew law, and all cases of arrest should be in his charge, as he is familiar with the record of the children. A strict enforcement

of the Curfew law at the present time on some of our youth would have a wholesome effect.

The work of the Truant Officer is increasing each year and from the kindly expressions of the teachers and Superintendent I feel sure my work has been appreciated. I desire to extend my thanks to the School Committee, Superintendent and teachers for courtesy and many favors shown the past year.

The following table of statistics which I have the honor to submit for your consideration, will show the work I have performed.

Very respectfully yours,

CHARLES H. JOHNSON,

Truant Officer.

1899.	No. of Absences reported by Teachers.	No. of Parents or Guardians Notified.	Truancies Determined by Investigation.	Truants returned to School.	Children returned to School from Street.	Tardiness Investigated.	No. of Manufactories Visited.	No. of Children Found Employed Contrary to Law.	No. of Employers Notified.	No. of Children Placed before the Court.	No. of Children Sent to Truant School.	No. Placed on Probation.
January, . .	36	34	4	2	—	1	—	—	1	1	—	2
February, . .	57	51	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
March, . . .	41	38	7	3	1	2	1	—	—	1	—	2
April, . . .	32	29	5	2	2	4	—	—	—	2	—	3
May,	64	57	4	1	—	—	3	1	1	—	—	1
June,	50	47	9	4	3	7	2	—	—	3	—	3
September, . .	32	26	4	1	5	1	2	1	1	1	—	2
October, . . .	50	44	11	5	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	4
November, . .	38	36	9	3	2	3	—	—	1	1	—	5
December, . .	21	19	7	2	1	4	—	—	—	3	—	2
Totals, . .	421	381	66	24	14	24	8	2	4	12	1	25

APPENDIX.

FINANCIAL REPORT,
ATTENDANCE,
TEACHERS,
RESIGNATIONS,
HIGH SCHOOL,
Q. H. S. ALUMNI,
GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATION,
TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION,
SCHOOL COMMITTEES OF THE PAST,
SCHOOL BOARD OF 1899,
CALENDAR FOR 1899.

Financial Report.

Salaries.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Charles F. Harper,	\$1,197 00
Walter E. Severance,	400 00
Arthur F. Campbell,	900 00
Charles P. Slade,	600 00
Elizabeth A. S. Ilsley,	850 00
Madeleine Fish,	800 00
Clara E. Thompson,	700 00
Iola L. Pearl,	641 88
Florence L. Hayes,	638 00
Daisy M. Lowe,	620 00
H. Annie Kennedy*,	370 00
Charlotte A. Kendall,*	340 00
Mary L. Wade,*	100 00
Janie C. Michaels,	240 00
Mabel Butnam,	180 00
Frederic A. Tupper,	825 00
Henry W. Porter,	647 50
Elizabeth B. Hall,	28 50
Walter H. Russell,	44 00
Mabel O. Mills,	24 00
Helen F. Folansbee,	30 00
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	\$10,175 88

* See Special Teachers.

ADAMS SCHOOL.

James M. Nowland,	\$1,400 00
Mary B. McLellan,	85 00

Grace G. Howard,	.	.	.	.	\$492 50	
Eliza C. Sheahan,	.	.	.	.	550 00	
Elizabeth C. Mitchell,	.	.	.	.	475 00	
Jennie F. Griffin,	.	.	.	.	429 69	
Eliza F. Dolan,	.	.	.	.	520 00	
Beatrice H. Rothwell,	.	.	.	.	80 00	
Annie W. Miller,	.	.	.	.	237 00	—
Charlotte F. Donovan,	.	.	.	.	500 00	
Euphrasia Hernan,	.	.	.	.	550 00	
Pauline C. Wilkins,	.	.	.	.	320 00	
Belle G. Nowland,	.	.	.	.	15 00	
Lucy F. Feeley,	.	.	.	.	152 00	
Louise M. Cook,	5 00	
Elsie B. Martin,	142 00	
Florence Kirby,	4 50	
M. Lizzie Gordon,	35 00	
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CODDINGTON SCHOOL.

Mary E. Dearborn,	\$1,400 00	
Margaret E. Olmsted,	424 38	
Grace E. Lingham,	500 00	
Jennie H. Holt,	.	.	.	.	485 00	
Alice F. Sampson,	.	.	.	.	454 38	
Addie W. Miller,	.	.	.	.	400 00	
Ida A. Andrews,	.	.	.	.	460 00	
Julia E. Underwood,	.	.	.	.	550 00	
Alice T. Kelley,	.	.	.	.	550 00	
Annie P. Hall,	.	.	.	.	500 00	
Mary E. Costello,	.	.	.	.	270 00	
Addie J. Park,	.	.	.	.	136 00	
Sara J. Collagan	.	.	.	.	140 00	
Mary F. Kauffmann,	135 00	
Mary McDonnell,	40 00	
Abbie P. Murratt,	15 00	
Lillian G. Murdock,	13 50	
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GRIDLEY BRYANT SCHOOL.

Austin W. Greene,	\$1,200 00
Florence M. Ellis,	180 00
Catherine A. Cashman,	424 38
Annie E. Burns,	.	.	.	.	450 00
Gertrude A. Boyd,	.	.	.	.	447 88
Margaret F. Talbot,	.	.	.	.	450 00
Augusta E. Dell,	.	.	.	.	450 00
Catherine McGovern,	.	.	.	.	492 50
Delia E. Burke,	141 50
Mary H. Atkins,	300 00
Eleanor G. Roche,	262 50
Genevieve W. White,	5 50
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					\$4,804 26

JOHN HANCOCK SCHOOL.

Robert S. Atkins,	\$1,400 00
Mary B. McLellan,	85 00
Jennie N. Whicher,	180 00
Mary W. Holden,	.	.	.	.	500 00
Minnie E. Welsh,	.	.	.	.	491 50
Helen M. West	.	.	.	.	500 00
Isabel Moir,	.	.	.	.	450 00
Mary C. Parker,	.	.	.	.	500 00
Mary P. Underwood,	.	.	.	.	510 00
May C. Melzard,	.	.	.	.	297 50
Mary B. Monahan,	.	.	.	.	200 75
Margaret A. Farrell,	.	.	.	.	200 00
Nellie McNealy,	.	.	.	.	200 00
Lauretta C. Shea,	.	.	.	.	198 00
Louise M. Cook,	.	.	.	.	180 00
Bertha F. Rice,	.	.	.	.	300 00
Henrietta C. Esson,	150 00
Mary N. Tirrell,	6 00
M. Lizzie Gordon,	2 25
Annie Dinnie,	118 25
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					\$6,469 25

LINCOLN SCHOOL.

Chester H. Wilbar,	\$1,340 00
Bessie G. Nicholson,	190 00
Emma M. Favour,	148 50
Daisy J. Adams,	.	.	.	.	500 00
Minnie E. Donovan,	.	.	.	.	500 00
Mary McNally,	.	.	.	.	500 00
Velma L. Curtis,	.	.	.	.	497 50
Inez L. Nutting,	.	.	.	.	459 25
Elizabeth Sullivan,	.	.	.	.	500 00
Annie Z. White,	.	.	.	.	376 75
Annie L. Roche,	.	.	.	.	200 00
Bessie F. Moore,	.	.	.	.	300 00
Mary A. Brown,	.	.	.	.	285 00
Nellie F. Boyd,	.	.	.	.	24 50
Eliza D. Howes,	.	.	.	.	11 25
A. Florence Kirby,	.	.	.	.	2 25
Nellie E. Murphy	37 50
Grace E. Perry,	54 50
Ruth A. Sanford,	4 50
N. E. C. Wilbar,	13 50
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					\$5,945 00

MASSACHUSETTS FIELDS SCHOOL.

Charles E. Finch, Jr.,*	\$700 00
Mary E. Currier,	520 00
Millie A. Damon,	.	.	.	.	475 00
Lena Pfaffmann,	.	.	.	.	410 00
Cassendana Thayer,	.	.	.	.	450 00
Lillian Waterhouse,	.	.	.	.	442 50
Anna M. McCormick,	.	.	.	.	450 00
Marion I. Bailey,	.	.	.	.	415 00
Annie M. Bennett,	450 00
Annie C. Healey,	69 50
E. Gertrude Ward,	57 50
Lena G. Reed,	6 00
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					\$4,445 50

*See Wollaston.

QUINCY SCHOOL.

Charles Sampson,	\$1,210 00	
Etta F. Purington,	30 00	
Mabel G. Hathaway,	460 00	
Mabel Whitney,	35 63	
Evelyn G. McGinley,	500 00	
Mary Dinnie,	470 00	
Margaret E. Haley,	500 00	
Margaret E. Burns,	550 00	
Ellen D. Granahan,	450 00	
Josephine L. Kelley,	202 75	
Harriot Wetherell,	439 38	
Grace G. Alden,	447 50	
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WASHINGTON SCHOOL.

Thomas B. Pollard,	\$1,400 00	
Mary Marden,	550 00	
Alice S. Hatch,	500 00	
Marjorie L. Souther,	475 00	
Bessie L. Drew,	495 00	
H. Frances Cannon,	500 00	
Ida F. Humphrey,	460 00	
Sarah A. Malone,	550 00	
Katherine G. Meaney,	208 25	
Mary M. McGuane,	9 00	
Winnifred Tileston,	3 00	
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WILLARD SCHOOL.

Albert Candlin,	\$1,400 00	
Winnifred E. McKay,	500 00	
Hattie M. Smith,	475 00	
Madge L. Rierdon,	475 00	
Mary E. Keohan,	500 00	
Mary A. White,	496 88	
Ellen B. Fegan,	550 00	
Elizabeth J. McNeil,	550 00	
Emeline A. Newcomb,	550 00	

Frances C. Sullivan,	.	.	.	\$500 00
Elizabeth A. Garrity,	.	.	.	500 00
Nellie C. Gragg,	.	.	.	500 00
Teresa McDonnell,	.	.	.	500 00
Mary L. Conway,	.	.	.	500 00
Anne M. Cahill,	.	.	.	500 00
Ellen A. Desmond,	.	.	.	500 00
Annie F. Burns,	.	.	.	535 00
Abbie M. Kelley,	.	.	.	500 00
Anna B. Kelly,	.	.	.	500 00
Grace E. Drumm,	.	.	.	443 13
Nellie E. Murphy,	.	.	.	178 50
Annie L. Bryan,	.	.	.	215 25
Ellen G. Haley,	.	.	.	204 50
Genevieve W. White,	.	.	.	48 50
Lydia M. Rice,	.	.	.	6 00
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				\$11,627 76

WOLLASTON SCHOOL.

Charles E. Finch, Jr.,†	.	.	.	\$700 00
Minnie G. Riley,	.	.	.	520 00
Myra E. Otis,	.	.	.	485 00
Annie D. Marden,	.	.	.	500 00
Edith F. Bates,	.	.	.	500 00
Carrie A. Crane,	.	.	.	500 00
Edith Howe,	.	.	.	410 00
Ida J. Cameron,	.	.	.	500 00
Clara E. G. Thayer,	.	.	.	500 00
Eva N. Bassett,	.	.	.	206 25
Grace E. Perry,	.	.	.	5 50
Viola Bicknell,	.	.	.	5 25
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				\$4,832 00

DRAWING.

Charlotte A. Kendall,*	.	.	.	\$510 00
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MUSIC.

Laura C. F. Smith,	.	.	.	500 00
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ELEMENTARY SCIENCE.

H. Annie Kennedy,*	.	.	.	350 00
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†See Massachusetts Fields.

*See High School.

SEWING.

Fannie F. French,	\$577 50
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CLERK.

Lucy M. Hallowell,	400 00
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SUPERVISION.

H. W. Lull,	2,500 00
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Total,	<u>\$76,048 61</u>
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Fuel.

J. F. Sheppard & Sons,

High and "Annex",	coal,	.	.	\$412 64
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Adams,	"	.	.	639 53
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Coddington,	"	.	.	206 92
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Gridley Bryant,	"	.	.	278 94
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John Hancock,	"	.	.	152 59
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Lincoln,	"	.	.	292 11
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Massachusetts Fields,	"	.	.	242 77
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Quincy and "Annex",	"	.	.	266 72
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Washington,	"	.	.	184 27
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Willard,	"	.	.	1,630 20
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Wollaston,	"	.	.	440 38
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Old High,	"	.	.	19 50
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High and "Annex",	wood,	.	.	\$34 48
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Adams,	"	.	.	17 88
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Gridley Bryant,	"	.	.	27 00
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John Hancock,	"	.	.	11 80
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Lincoln,	"	.	.	11 80
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Massachusetts Fields,	"	.	.	18 23
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Quincy and "Annex",	"	.	.	14 30
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Washington,	"	.	.	11 80
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Willard,	"	.	.	71 38
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Transportation.

Coddington, Benjamin F. Hodgkinson	\$617 50	
Quincy, Cyrus E. Noble	261 80	
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Janitors.

High and "Annex," Samuel B. Turner	\$764 00	
Adams, George I. Linton	516 00	
Coddington, Elijah S. Brown	552 00	
Gridley Bryant, John Hinnegan	516 00	
John Hancock, James E. Maxim	516 00	
Lincoln, George O. Shirley	516 00	
Massachusetts Fields, John W. Dorety	516 00	
Quincy and "Annex," Thomas A. R. Gould	572 00	
Quincy "Annex," Nathaniel Churchill	24 00	
Washington, William C. Caldwell	378 00	
Willard, Francis Welsh	968 00	
Wollaston, Marcena R. Sparrow	132 00	
Wollaston, Francis W. Burnham	264 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,234 00

Books, Supplies and Sundries.

Abbott & Miller, expressage	\$52 80	
Adams, J. Q., books	15 00	
Adams, Cushing & Foster, supplies	16 25	
Allyn & Bacon, books	44 26	
American Book Company, books	314 26	
Appleton, F. F., supplies	36 00	
Atkins, Robert S., supplies	5 68	
Austin & Winslow, expressage,	2 55	
Babb, Edward E. & Co., books	51 08	
Barnard, F. J. & Co., binding books	107 90	
Beale Press, diplomas	99 99	
Boston Music Company, music	10 50	
Boston School Supply Company, books	187 35	
Boynton & Russell, expressage	1 80	
Brown, Elijah S., labor	22 00	

Burnham, Francis W., labor and supplies	\$3 85
Caldwell, William, labor	8 75
Candlin, Albert, supplies	6 77
Chandler, Mary A., books	10 00
Castor, T. H. & Co., books	1 52
Clafflin, W. H. & Co., supplies	177 55
Crane, Frank F., labor and supplies	145 45
Citizens Gas Light Company, gas	37 20
Chubbuck, W. G., expressage	1 50
Colgan, J. W., brass plate	2 00
Cunningham, J. H., rent	112 50
Dearborn, Mary E., supplies,	6 75
Dimond, H. C. & Co., color pads,	1 03
Ditson, Oliver, Co., music,	35 38
Doble, E. H. & Co., supplies,	5 80
Educational Publishing Co., books,	30 00
Faxon, H. H., rent,	252 00
Franklin Educational Co., apparatus,	31 53
French, Fanny F., supplies,	2 00
Finch, Charles E., Jr., supplies,	12 54
Gallagher Express Company, expressage,	33 59
Green, Fred F., printing,	54 90
Greene, Austin W., supplies,	4 55
Greenough, W. A. & Co., directory,	2 00
Ginn & Co., books,	1,208 97
Gurney, Thomas, supplies,	6 50
Hammett, J. L., Company, supplies,	1,638 76
Hammond, Charles L., stamps and envelopes,	46 40
Harmon, W. E., rent	29 16
Hayward, A. F., supplies and labor,	8 75
Heath, D. C. & Co., books,	162 98
Holden Patent Book Cover Co., mending paper,	5 25
Horgan, Robey & Co., supplies,	7 25
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	120 59
Johnson, Charles H., truant officer, taking census,	307 59
Journal of School Geography, subscription,	1 00

Kasson & Palmer, subscription, . . .	\$3 00
Kendall, Charlotte A., supplies, . . .	2 15
Kennedy, H. Annie, supplies, . . .	2 03
Kincaide, H. L. & Co., supplies, . . .	93 29
Knott, L. E., Apparatus Co., apparatus, . . .	2 85
Lauriat, Charles E., Co., books, . . .	14 53
Lee & Shepard, books,	3 00
Linscott, A. A., repairs,	19 50
Linton, George I., labor,	19 46
Lothrop Publishing Co., books, . . .	20 00
Lull, H. W., supplies, postage, travel (not local), telegrams, care of rooms, . . .	45 96
MacFarland, J. & Son, stock and labor, . . .	35 97
Mason & Hamlin Co., tuning pianos, . . .	4 00
Mayo, Geo. A., supplies,	4 00
Menhinick, E., vaults,	49 90
Morse Co., books,	15 75
Nash, John W., supplies,	25 49
Neostyle Co., supplies,	11 30
New York & Boston Despatch Co., express- age,	7 90
Nichols, T. P., books,	1 00
Nowland, James M., supplies,	2 61
Perry Pictures Co., pictures,	4 60
Perry, F. J., supplies,	18 90
Perry, George S. & Co., supplies, . . .	108 97
Pettengill, C. F., repairs,	30 75
Prescott, Geo. W. & Son, printing, . . .	166 80
Pollard, Thomas B., supplies,	3 35
Poole, Bert, Co., view of West Quincy, . . .	2 50
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co., light, . . .	71 14
Quincy Water Department, water, . . .	300 00
Rinn, Louis, expressage,	4 00
Sampson, Charles, supplies,	4 40
Sanborn, Benjamin H., & Co., books . . .	1 95
Sherman, George R., supplies,	15 00
Sibley & Ducker, books,	15 79
Shirley, George O., labor,	25 45
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	414 87

Smith, Laura C. F., supplies, . . .	\$1 00
Smith, Chandler W., tuning pianos, .	8 00
Suffolk Ink Co., ink, . . .	4 60
Thomas, E. S., labor, . . .	12 00
Thompson, Brown & Co., books, . .	149 88
Turner, Samuel B., labor, . . .	10 00
University Publishing Co., books, .	18 00
Wade, Mary L., supplies, . . .	14 80
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., supplies, .	35 22
Wadsworth, D. E. & Co., supplies, .	76 11
Ward, Samuel, Co., supplies, . . .	56 63
Westland, William, supplies, . . .	4 40
Wilbar, Chester H., supplies, . . .	3 55
Williams & Rogers, books, . . .	1 83
Winship, A. E., address, . . .	25 00
Wyckoff, Seamons & Benedict, repairs and ribbon,	3 75
Ziegler Electric Co., apparatus, . . .	33 22
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Evening Common Schools.

ADAMS SCHOOL.

Teachers :

James M. Nowland, . . .	\$120 00
Margaret E. Haley, . . .	52 00
Minnie E. Donovan, . . .	68 00
George E. Adams, . . .	18 00
Thomas B. Pollard, . . .	4 00
Annie E. Burns, . . .	4 00

Janitor :

George I. Linton, . . .	52 00
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\$318 00

WILLARD SCHOOL.

Teachers :

Austin W. Greene, . . .	\$66 00
Albert Candlin, . . .	27 00

Nellie C. Gragg,	\$60 00	
Frances C. Sullivan,	.	.	.	.	50 00	
George F. Field,	.	.	.	.	6 00	
Annie E. Burns,	.	.	.	.	26 00	
Lauretta C. Shea,	.	.	.	.	10 00	
Janitor :						
Francis Welsh,	.	.	.	.	40 30	
					<hr/>	\$285 30

Drawing School.

Teacher :						
Charles C. Bryant,	\$348 00	
Janitor :						
Samuel B. Turner,	113 10	
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						\$1,064 40
Sundries :						
Beckford, E. S., supplies,	33 85	
Green, Fred F., printing,	6 12	
Hammett, J. L., Co., supplies,	12 55	
Prescott, Geo. W. & Son, printing,	.	.	.	.	4 20	
Sheppard, J. F. & Sons, coal,	.	.	.	.	5 25	
Sanborn & Damon, supplies,	.	.	.	.	2 60	
Thompson, Brown & Co., books,	15 42	
Quincy Electric Light & Power Co.,						
light,	145 44	
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Total,		\$1,289 84

Rock Island Fund.

(Expended for High School).

Charles E. Lauriat Co. :						
Tennyson's poems,	.	.	.	.	\$1 75	
Victorian anthology,	.	.	.	.	1 65	
English poets, 4 vols.,	.	.	.	.	3 60	

Rome of yesterday and today, . . .	\$2 67
Century cyclopedia of names, . . .	9 00
Yesterday with authors, . . .	1 33
American commonwealth, . . .	1 58
The colonies, 1492-1750, 3 vols., . . .	2 52
American revolution, 2 vols. . . .	2 64
Critical period,	1 32
Dutch and Quaker colonies, . . .	2 67
Birdseye view of our Civil War, . . .	1 00
Side lights of American history, . . .	75
American politics,	80
Beowulf,	30
The isles and shrines of Greece, . . .	1 32
Roba di Roma, 2 vols.,	1 65
Keat's poems,	1 00
Shelley's poems,	1 17
The World's painters,	1 25

	\$39 97

Attendance.

NOTE.—The “Average Age” is in ALL the schools (as in previous years) based on the September records.

HIGH SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.	Whole No. of different Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 Years.	Average Age, Years and Months.
			Boys.	Girls.											
HIGH.	<div> <div> Charles F. Harper, Henry W. Porter, Arthur F. Campbell, Elizabeth A. S. Hsley, Madeleine Fish, Clara E. Thompson, Iola L. Pearl, Florence L. Hayes, Daisy M. Lowe, Charles P. Slade, H. Annie Kennedy, Charlotte A. Kendall, Mary L. Wade, </div> </div>	427	199	228	385	359	93.2	.56	1.24	37	366	0	240	60	15-3

ADAMS SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.	Whole No. of Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 Years.	Average Age, Years and Months.
			Boys.	Girls.											
VIII.	James M. Nowland,	49	25	24	46	44	96.1	.43	.47	2	361	0	4	39	13-5
VII.	Grace G. Howard,	48	31	17	45	41	93.	.67	1.10	0	362	0	0	42	12-6
VI.	Eliza C. Sheahan,	44	20	24	40	38	93.	.55	.81	0	362	0	0	44	11-5
V.	Elizabeth C. Mitchell,	50	30	20	41	38	94.1	.34	.64	5	362	0	0	49	10-8
IV.	Jennie F. Griffin,	59	33	26	51	48	93.6	.63	.44	0	362	0	0	59	9-7
III.	Eliza F. Dolan,	54	29	25	50	46	92.8	.62	.19	0	362	0	0	52	8-2
II.	Pauline C. Wilkins,	67	42	25	59	54	91.7	.68	.07	2	362	0	0	31	7-1
I.	Charlotte F. Donovan,	56	23	28	41	36	86.8	1.20	.01	0	362	4	0	6	5-9
I.	Euphrasia Hernan,	54	31	23	41	38	91.3	.95	.01	0	362	1	0	0	5-2

CODDINGTON SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.	Whole No. of different Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Kata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Kata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 Years.	Average Age, Years and Months.
			Boys	Girls											
VIII.	Mary E. Dearborn, Prin.,	43	22	21	39	38	96.9	.07	1.20	0	361	0	7	29	13-9
VII.	Margaret E. Olmsted,	48	24	24	43	41	95.6	.07	.70	0	362	0	2	43	12-10
VI.	Grace E. Lingham,	58	31	27	49	47	96.5	.08	.67	1	362	0	0	47	11-6
V.	Jennie H. Holt,	52	30	22	46	44	95.3	.27	.93	10	362	0	0	52	11-1
IV.	Alice F. Sampson,	82	44	38	75	71	94.3	.15	.59	10	362	0	0	81	10-2
III.	Addie W. Miller,	61	30	25	52	49	95.	.18	.54	2	362	0	0	54	8-1
II.	Ida A. Andrews,	78	33	36	56	52	92.6	.19	.44	1	362	0	0	44	7-7
I.	Julia E. Underwood,	71	22	29	46	43	93.	.16	.39	0	361	0	0	11	6-5
I.	Alice T. Kelly,	72	39	30	38	34	91.2	.57	.37	0	361	0	0	1	5-7
I.	Annie P. Hall,														

GRIDLEY BRYANT SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.	Whole No. of Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Percent Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number (Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 Years.	Average Age. Years and Months.
			Boys.	Girls.											
VIII.	Austin W. Greene,	34	20	14	33	32	97.4	.15	1.81	1	362	0	7	10	14-5
VII.	Mary H. Atkins,	31	17	14	29	28	96.6	.11	1.21	0	362	0	0	25	12-9
VI.	Adeline Cashman,	43	20	21	40	38	95.8	.28	1.72	0	362	0	1	41	11-9
V.	Annie E. Burns,	44	28	16	42	39	94.	.25	1.75	1	362	0	0	43	11-2
IV.	Gertrude A. Boyd,	48	20	27	41	39	95.6	.18	.23	0	362	0	0	44	9-7
III.	Frances Talbot,	45	26	19	42	40	94.8	.37	.44	1	362	0	0	42	8-3
II.	Augusta E. Dell,	51	22	28	40	38	95.5	.15	.34	0	362	0	0	22	7-1
I.	Eleanor G. Roche,	41	13	20	31	29	93.8	.34	.03	1	362	0	0	4	6-1
I.	Catherine McGovern,	48	21	26	23	21	90.6	.65	.28	0	362	7	0	1	5-4

JOHN HANCOCK SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. Enrolled.	Whole No. of different Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 Years.	Average Age. Years and Months.
			Boys.	Girls.											
VIII.	Robert S. Atkins,	37	19	18	35	34	96.7	.08	1.42	0	361	0	5	16	13-7
VII.	Bertha F. Rice,	33	16	17	31	30	97.3	.10	1.27	0	362	0	0	33	12-7
VI.	Mary W. Holden,	47	24	23	42	40	95.7	.07	.91	0	362	0	2	43	12-1
V.	Minnie E. Welsh,	51	21	28	44	42	96.7	.11	1.72	0	362	0	0	43	10-8
IV.	Helen M. West,	64	36	20	56	53	95.2	.13	.89	0	362	0	0	60	9-6
III.	Isabel Moir,	66	36	27	59	56	94.9	.10	.39	1	362	0	0	58	8-5
II.	Mary C. Parker,	76	34	31	62	57	93.	.17	.12	0	362	0	0	54	7-0
I.	Mary P. Underwood,	76	32	23	52	48	93.4	.26	.22	0	362	0	0	9	6-2
I.	May C. Melzard.	85	45	38	50	45	90.8	.33	.19	0	362	3	0	0	5-4

LINCOLN SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.	Whole No. of different Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 Years.	Average Age. Years and Months.
			Boys.	Girls.											
VIII.	Chester H. Wilbar,	20	11	7	18	17	96.2	.17	.52	0	362	0	0	11	13-7
VII.	Bessie F. Moore,	43	22	20	35	34	96.7	.14	.32	0	362	0	1	25	12-7
VI.	Mary A. Browne,	36	23	13	34	32	94.7	.24	.92	3	362	0	0	32	11-11
V.	Daisy J. Adams,	47	16	31	45	43	95.7	.07	.28	1	362	0	0	45	10-5
IV.	Minnie E. Donovan,	50	22	28	47	44	94.5	.33	.49	0	362	0	0	47	9-6
III.	Mary McNally,	64	29	32	58	54	92.9	.29	.20	0	362	0	0	61	8-5
II.	Velma L. Curtis,	68	22	15	44	41	91.6	.04	.14	0	362	0	0	37	7-3
II.	Annie Z. White,	75	23	20	41	37	90.6	.35	.24	0	362	0	0	6	6-4
I.	Inez L. Nutting,	80	33	32	35	31	88.5	.31	.03	0	362	2	0	0	5-2
I.	Elizabeth Sullivan,	58	21	20	36	33	89.8	.61	.00	0	362	2	0	0	5-2

MASSACHUSETTS FIELDS SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.	Whole No. of different Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session	Number Under 5 Year.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 years.	Average Age, Years and Months.
			Boys.	Girls.											
VIII.	Chas. E. Fitch, Jr., Principal.	27	12	15	23	22	94.6	.69	1.62	0	361	0	6	16	13-9
VII.	Mary E. Currier,	28	11	17	26	24	93.3	.42	1.76	2	362	0	2	19	13-3
VI.	Millie A. Damon,	30	19	10	27	25	93.6	.15	1.46	0	362	0	0	28	11-10
V.	Lena Pfaffmann,	49	26	22	41	38	93.7	.34	1.49	0	362	0	0	44	10-6
IV.	Cassendana Thayer,	36	19	17	31	29	94.2	.21	1.38	0	362	0	0	6	9-7
III.	Lillian Waterhouse,	50	20	28	40	37	93.4	.26	.96	0	362	0	0	48	8-2
II.	Annie M. McCormick,	50	25	19	40	38	93.8	.27	.72	1	362	0	0	16	6-11
I.	Marion I. Bailey,	67	28	34	50	44	89.3	.58	.63	0	362	3	0	6	5-9
	Annie M. Bennett,														

QUINCY SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. of different Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Percent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 Years.	Average Age, Years and Months.
		Boys	Girls.											
VIII.	Charles Sampson,	23	15	33	32	96.3	.03	.94	0	357	0	8	30	13-10
VII.	Harriot Wetherell,	20	18	33	32	94.6	.19	1.11	0	355	0	0	26	13-0
VI.	Mabel G. Hathaway,	22	22	39	36	93.4	.36	1.23	4	359	0	0	44	12-7
V.	Grace G. Alden,	23	29	44	42	94.4	.14	1.47	0	359	0	0	46	10-4
IV.	Evelyn G. McGinley,	29	35	43	41	94.5	.63	.78	0	360	0	0	53	9-10
III.	Mary Dinnie,	20	33	47	44	93.1	.32	.78	1	361	0	0	51	8-5
II.	Margaret E. Haley,	28	34	52	48	92.0	.22	.35	0	359	0	0	44	7-5
I.	Margaret E. Burns,	33	24	44	39	88.9	.61	.36	0	360	0	0	9	6-3
I.	Ellen D. Granahan.	19	26	32	28	87.3	1.56	.08	1	359	1	0	1	5-7

WASHINGTON SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.	Whole No. of Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 Years.	Average Age, Years and Months.
			Boys.	Girls.											
VIII.	Thomas B. Pollard,	25	15	10	24	23	96.1	.27	1.19	0	361	0	4	12	13-8
VII.	Mary Marden,	28	18	10	24	23	95.3	.22	1.38	2	362	0	1	25	12-8
VI.	Alice S. Hatch,	36	19	17	33	31	94.4	.29	1.16	0	360	0	1	33	11-8
V.	Marjorie L. Souther,	39	13	24	34	31	93.1	.73	1.31	0	362	0	0	39	10-10
IV.	Bessie L. Drew,	40	22	17	34	32	94.6	.59	.44	0	362	0	0	40	9-6
III.	H. Frances Cannon,	49	25	22	44	40	90.8	.35	.45	1	362	0	0	49	8-1
II.	Ida F. Humphrey,	50	19	16	36	32	90.2	.56	.19	0	361	0	0	23	7-3
I.	Sarah A. Malone,	80	44	35	53	46	86.5	.52	.17	0	361	2	0	2	5-8

WILLARD SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.		Average Number Belonging.		Average Daily Attendance.		Percent. Daily Attendance.		No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.		No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.		Cases of Truancy.		No. of Half Days School was in Session.		Number Under 5 Years.		Number Over 15 Years.		No. Between 7 and 14 Years.		Average Age, Years and Months.	
		Boys	Girls.	Average Number Belonging.		Average Daily Attendance.		Percent. Daily Attendance.		No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.		No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.		Cases of Truancy.		No. of Half Days School was in Session.		Number Under 5 Years.		Number Over 15 Years.		No. Between 7 and 14 Years.		Average Age, Years and Months.	
VIII.	Albert Candlin, Principal,	59	30	55	54	97.3	.06	.70	1	362	0	362	0	11	21	13-10									
VII.	Winnfred E. McKay,	37	22	32	30	94.9	.32	1.70	0	362	0	362	0	3	28	13-4									
VII.	Hattie M. Smith,	33	19	30	28	95.	.04	.60	3	362	0	362	0	0	31	12-0									
VI.	Madge L. Rierdon,	47	22	44	42	96.	.25	.92	0	362	0	362	0	0	44	11-7									
VI.	Mary E. Keohan,	37	16	35	33	94.4	.21	2.45	0	362	0	362	0	3	34	12-1									
VI.	Mary A. White,	52	33	47	45	95.4	.04	1.50	0	362	0	362	0	0	51	10-5									
V.	Ellen B. Fegan,	50	20	39	37	96.5	.13	.05	0	362	0	362	0	0	14	9-7									
V.	Elizabeth J. McNeil,	36	16	34	33	96.6	.0	2.15	0	112	0	112	0	0	36	9-5									
V.*	Elizabeth A. Garrity,	38	17	35	34	95.4	.0	.44	0	250	0	250	0	0	36	9-5									
IV.*	Elizabeth A. Garrity,																								

IV.	Emeline A. Newcomb,	47	28	18	43	40	94.9	.17	.39	0	362	0	0	47	9-9
IV.	Francis C. Sullivan,	46	24	22	43	41	96.	.24	.24	2	362	0	0	45	9-8
III.	Nellie C. Gragg,	54	28	24	47	45	95.5	.08	.13	0	362	0	0	50	8-8
III.	Teresa McDonnell,	57	24	28	50	48	95.5	.04	.22	0	362	0	0	51	8-1
II.	Mary L. Conway,	50	17	38	39	37	96.5	.07	.10	2	362	0	0	21	7-0
II.	Anne M. Cahill,	49	20	14	36	34	95.4	.26	.49	0	362	0	0	31	7-11
II.	Ellen A. Desmond,	41	27	14	38	36	94.7	.11	.22	0	362	0	0	24	7-2
II.*	Grace E. Drumm,	77	25	16	33	31	92.1	.01	.01	2	250	0	0	20	7-9
I.*	Grace E. Drumm,	43	20	25	43	41	94.3	.0	.0	0	112	0	0	21	6-8
I.	Annie F. Burns,	72	37	34	51	46	90.3	.32	.08	0	362	2	0	4	5-5
I.	Abbie M. Kelley,	125	56	67	49	44	88.7	.27	.02	0	362	0	0	6	5-11
I.	Anna B. Kelley,	57	24	15	38	36	93.3	.28	.14	0	362	0	0	7	6-4

* Same pupils; grade changed during the year.

WOLLASTON SCHOOL.

GRADE.	TEACHER.	Whole No. En-rolled.	Whole No. of different Pupils.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per cent. Daily Attendance.	No. of Tardinesses Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	No. of Dismissals Pro Rata Average Daily Attendance.	Cases of Truancy.	No. of Half Days School was in Session.	Number Under 5 Years.	Number Over 15 Years.	No. Between 7 and 14 years.	Average Age, Years and Months.
			Boys.	Girls.											
VIII.	Charles E. Fitch, Jr., Principal,	30	17	13	26	25	97.3	.15	1.88	0	361	0	2	20	13-6
VII.	Minnie G. Riley,	38	16	21	37	35	95.3	.11	1.92	0	362	0	2	31	12-8
VI.	Myra E. Otis,	43	13	28	38	36	94.9	.20	3.69	3	362	0	1	36	11-11
V.	Annie D. Marden,	27	10	17	26	24	92.9	.08	1.13	0	362	0	0	27	10-10
IV.	Edith F. Bates,	38	20	15	34	33	95.4	.15	1.07	2	362	0	0	34	9-9
III.	Carrie A. Crane,	50	23	27	46	43	94.4	.25	1.48	0	362	0	0	48	8-6
II.	Edith Howe,	54	34	17	46	43	93.3	.21	1.45	1	362	0	0	15	7-5
I.	Ida J. Cameron,	78	39	38	61	55	89.8	.44	1.21	3	362	1	0	13	6-0
	Clara E. G. Thayer,														

TOTAL ATTENDANCE
FROM THE
TEN MONTHLY REPORTS.

SCHOOL.	Who Number of Different Pupils.		Average Number Be- longing.	Average Daily Attend- ance.	Per cent. of Daily At- tendance.	Tardinesses Pro Rata Av. Daily Attend- ance.	Dismissals Pro Rata Av. Daily Attend- ance.	Cases of Truancy. Different Pupils.
	Boys.	Girls.						
High . . .	199	228	385	359	93.2	0.56	1.24	14
Adams . . .	254	212	412	383	92.9	0.66	0.50	7
Coddington . .	275	252	444	419	94.5	0.18	0.65	11
Gridley Bryant	187	183	320	304	95.0	0.26	0.91	4
John Hancock	263	225	420	406	96.8	0.15	0.72	0
Lincoln . . .	222	216	394	366	93.0	0.25	0.30	4
Mass. Fields . .	160	162	276	257	93.0	0.36	1.18	3
Quincy . . .	217	225	368	341	92.6	0.40	0.86	2
Washington . .	176	151	281	258	91.9	0.46	0.71	2
Willard . . .	446	423	792	752	94.9	0.14	0.60	9
Wollaston . .	172	176	313	293	93.8	0.23	1.71	9
Grand Totals.	2571	2453	4405	4138	93.9	0.32	0.81	65

THE TEN MONTHLY REPORTS.

1898.	Whole Number at End of Month.	Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily At- tendance.	Per Cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissals.	Truants.
January,	4257	4223.9	4074.0	96.4	128	362	9
February,	4239	4194.7	3989.5	95.1	126	287	3
March,	4228	4240.2	4085.5	96.3	126	408	18
April,	4474	4433.8	4248.0	95.8	110	356	4
May,	4397	4385.1	4186.8	95.5	165	332	6
June,	4377	4348.4	4199.5	96.6	133	345	7
September,	4486	4479.6	4341.5	96.9	123	247	9
October,	4464	4456.4	4291.5	96.3	117	385	16
November,	4411	4390.2	4217.9	96.1	118	312	2
December,	4152	4142.8	3877.8	93.6	171	308	1
1899.							
January,	4387	4228.0	3902.4	92.3	179	335	5
February,	4311	4340.4	3779.3	87.1	160	255	1
March,	4364	4367.5	4079.8	93.4	82	316	5
April,	4679	4659.2	4436.6	95.2	110	416	8
May,	4595	4628.3	4309.2	93.1	154	429	6
June,	4417	4449.9	4156.7	93.4	100	360	8
September,	4765	4704.5	4543.9	96.6	135	249	8
October,	4758	4758.	4498.9	94.7	139	331	9
November,	4734	4733.6	4461.6	94.3	114	353	5
December,	4664	4684.2	4329.0	92.4	112	341	69

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Teachers.

IN SERVICE JANUARY, 1900.

HIGH SCHOOL.

NAME.	HOME.	DATE OF APPOINTMENT.
Charles F. Harper, ⁵	Quincy,	May, 1899
Walter E. Severance, ¹	Quincy,	Sept., 1899
Arthur F. Campbell, ²	Derry, N. H.,	Sept., 1896
Charles P. Slade, ¹	Quincy,	Oct., 1898
Elizabeth A. S. Ilsley, *§ ⁵	Quincy,	Sept., 1889
Madeleine Fish *	Nantucket,	Sept., 1891
Clara E. Thompson, *§	Quincy,	Oct., 1892
Iola L. Pearl, ¹⁶	Chesterfield,	Sept., 1895
Florence L. Hayes, ³	Quincy (Wollaston),	Sept., 1896
Daisy M. Lowe, §†	Quincy,	Sept., 1898
Charlotte A. Kendall, ⁸	Framingham,	Sept., 1895
H. Annie Kennedy, ¹³	South Weymouth,	Sept., 1896
Mary L. Wade, ¹⁵	Quincy (Atlantic),	Sept., 1892
Janie C. Michaels, ¹⁰	Oldtown, Maine,	Sept., 1899
Mabel Butnam, ¹¹	Roxbury,	Oct., 1899

ADAMS SCHOOL.

James M. Nowland, †	Quincy,	Sept., 1889
Mary B. McLellan, *	Hyde Park,	Sept., 1899
Grace G. Howard, ¹²	Eastondale,	April, 1897
Eliza C. Sheahan, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1865

Elizabeth C. Mitchell, *	Newcastle, Maine,	Sept., 1897
Jennie F. Griffin, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1897
Eliza F. Dolan, *	Quincy,	Sept., 1884
Beatrice H. Rothwell, §	Quincy,	Nov., 1899
Annie W. Miller, §	Quincy,	Nov., 1899
Charlotte F. Donovan, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1892
Euphrasia Hernan,	Quincy,	April, 1878

CODDINGTON SCHOOL.

Mary E. Dearborn, *	Manchester, N. H.,	Sept., 1876
Margaret E. Olmsted ^{1 2}	West Harwich,	Sept., 1897
Grace E. Lingham *	Hyde Park,	Sept., 1997
Jennie H. Holt, *	Saxonville,	Sept., 1897
Alice F. Sampson, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1896
Addie W. Miller,	Quincy,	April, 1899
Ida A. Andrews, *	Pigeon Cove	Sept., 1897
Julia E. Underwood,	Quincy,	April, 1855
Alice T. Kelly, §	Quincy,	April, 1882
Annie P. Hall, §	Quincy (Atlantic),	Jan., 1895

GRIDLEY BRYANT SCHOOL.

Austin W. Greene, *	East Milton,	Jan., 1897
Florence M. Ellis, *	Melrose,	Sept., 1899
Mary H. Atkins, *	Amherst,	Sept., 1896
Annie E. Burns § ⁴	Quincy,	Jan., 1897
Gertrude A. Boyd, §	Quincy,	Jan., 1897
Margaret F. Talbot §	Quincy,	Jan., 1897
Augusta E. Dell, §	Quincy,	Jan., 1897
Catherine McGovern, §	Quincy,	April, 1895

JOHN HANCOCK SCHOOL.

Robert S. Atkins, *	Provincetown,	Nov., 1893
Mary B. McLellan, *	Hyde Park,	Sept., 1899
Jennie N. Whitcher, *	Libson, N. H.,	Sept., 1899
Mary W. Holden, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1889–Sept., 1896
Minnie E. Welsh, §	Quincy (Wollaston),	Sept., 1892
Helen M. West, §	Quincy,	Jan., 1890

Isabel Moir, §	Quincy,	Jan., 1897
Mary C. Parker, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1886
Mary P. Underwood, §	Quincy,	Jan., 1882–Sept., 1891
May C. Melzard, §	Quincy (Atlantic),	April, 1899

LINCOLN SCHOOL.

Chester H. Wilbar, *	Hyannis,	Sept., 1897
Bessie G. Nicholson,	Whitman	Sept., 1899
Emma M. Favour,	Natick,	Sept., 1899
Daisy J. Adams,	Quincy,	Sept., 1893
Minnie E. Donovan,	Quincy,	Sept., 1892
Mary M. McNally, *§	Quincy,	Sept., 1892
Velma L. Curtis,	North Hanover	Sept., 1892
Inez L. Nutting, §	Quincy,	April, 1894
Elizabeth Sullivan, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1892
Annie Z. White, §	Quincy,	Mar., 1899

MASSACHUSETTS FIELDS SCHOOL.

Charles E. Finch, Jr.,	Quincy (Wollaston),	Sept., 1895
Mary E. Carrier, *	Lebanon, N. H.,	Sept., 1892
Millie A. Damon, †	Kittery, Maine,	Sept., 1897
Lena Pfaffmann, §	Quincy (Wollaston),	April, 1897
Cassendana Thayer, §	Quincy,	Jan., 1897
Lillian Waterhouse, ⁶	Quincy (Atlantic),	April, 1897
Annie M. McCormick, §	Quincy,	Jan., 1897
Marion I. Bailey, †	Quincy (Wollaston),	May, 1898
Annie M. Bennett,	Quincy (Wollaston),	Jan., 1897

QUINCY SCHOOL.

Charles Sampson, *	Quincy,	Nov., 1896
Mabel G. Hathaway, *	Gorham, Maine,	Sept., 1898
Mabel Whitney, *	Framingham,	Dec., 1899
Evelyn G. McGinley,	Boston,	Oct., 1895
Mary Dinnie, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1898
Margaret E. Haley, *§	Quincy,	Sept., 1891
Margaret E. Burns, §	Quincy,	May, 1881
Ellen D. Granahan, §	Quincy (Atlantic),	Jan., 1897

WASHINGTON SCHOOL.

Thomas B. Pollard, ⁹	Quincy,	Feb., 1887
Mary Marden,	Quincy,	April, 1874
Alice S. Hatch,	North Marshfield,	Jan., 1893
Marjorie L. Souther, *§	Quincy,	Jan., 1896
Bessie L. Drew, *	Quincy (Atlantic),	Mar., 1896
H. Frances Cannon, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1892
Ida F. Humphrey, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1897
Sarah A. Malone, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1883

WILLARD SCHOOL.

Albert Candlin, * ⁴	East Milton,	Sept., 1896
Winnifred E. McKay,	Stoneham,	Jan., 1897
Hattie M. Smith, †	Sunapee, N. H.,	Sept., 1897
Madge L. Rierdon, *	Rockland,	Jan., 1898
Mary E. Keohan, *	Weymouth,	April, 1892
Mary A. White, *	Quincy,	Jan., 1896
Ellen B. Fegan, §	Quincy,	June, 1875
Elizabeth J. McNeil, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1883
Emeline A. Newcomb, §	Quincy,	April, 1857
Frances C. Sullivan, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1894
Elizabeth A. Garrity, §	Quincy,	Oct., 1889
Nellie C. Gragg, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1889
Teresa McDonnell, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1889
Mary L. Conway, §	Quincy,	April, 1887
Anne M. Cahill, *§	Quincy,	Feb., 1891
Ellen A. Desmond, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1888
Annie F. Burns, §	Quincy,	April, 1884
Abbie M. Kelley,	Quincy (Atlantic),	Sept., 1887
Anna B. Kelley, §	Quincy,	April, 1893
Grace E. Drumm,	Chatham, N. Y.	Jan., 1897

WOLLASTON SCHOOL.

Charles E. Finch, Jr.,	Quincy (Wollaston),	Sept., 1895
Minnie G. Riley, *	North Conway, N. H.	Nov., 1895
Myra E. Otis, *	Quincy (Norfolk Downs),	Sept., 1896
Annie D. Marden, *	Worcester,	Sept., 1894

Edith F. Bates, *	Boston,	Sept., 1895
Carrie A. Crane, §	Quincy,	April, 1894
Edith Howe,	Quincy (Wollaston),	Sept., 1898
Ida J. Cameron, §	Quincy,	Sept., 1894
Clara E. G. Thayer,	Quincy (Wollaston),	Sept., 1889

DRAWING.

Charlotte A. Kendall, ⁸	Framingham,	Sept., 1895
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MUSIC.

Laura C. F. Smith, ¹⁴	Boston,	April, 1891
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NATURE.

H. Annie Kennedy, ^{*13}	South Weymouth,	Sept., 1896
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SEWING.

Fannie F. French,	Quincy,	Sept., 1892
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EVENING DRAWING.

Charles C. Bryant, ⁷	Wollaston,	Sept., 1896
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§ Quincy High.

* Graduate of Normal School.

† Attended but not a graduate of Normal School.

1 Harvard.

2 Dartmouth.

3 Boston University.

4 Boston University (Partial.)

5 Brown.

6 Thayer Academy.

7 Cowles Art School (Partial.)

8 Normal Art.

9 Wesleyan (Partial.)

10 University of Maine. University of Berlin (Partial.)

11 Wellesley College.

12 Wellesley College (Partial.)

13 Special work at Harvard.

14 Mount Holyoke.

15 Boston Cooking School.

16 Smith Academy.

17 Miss S. Symond's Kindergarten.

N. B. The teachers of drawing, music and nature are the regular teachers of these subjects in the High School.

Resignations of Teachers.

High School,

May, Frederic A. Tupper (Brighton High), \$2,200 to \$3,780
June, Henry W. Porter (Abington High), 1,000 to 1,400

Adams,

October, Pauline C. Wilkins (Married), 400

Coddington,

March, Mary F. Kauffmann (Resigned), 450

John Hancock,

March, Henrietta C. Esson (Married), 500
June, Bertha F. Rice (Married), 500

Lincoln,

June, Bessie F. Moore (Chelsea), 500 to 600
June, Mary A. Browne (Married), 475
September, Eliza D. Howes (Illness), 450

Quincy,

November, Harriot Wetherell (Chelsea), 475 to 600
November, Grace G. Alden (Chelsea), 500 to 600

Leave of Absence.

Gridley Bryant,

June, Mary H. Atkins,
November, Catherine A. Cashman,

Lincoln,

January, Helen F. Boyd.

Quincy High School.

GRADUATING EXERCISES, CLASS OF 1899.

Music—(a) The King's Musketeers, Howson
Wenonah Lee Nash.

(b) Lullaby, Corbin
High School Chorus.

Salutatory Essay,
Carrie Marguerite Poland.

Class History,
Ethel Vogler.

Essay, The Benefits of Reading,
Bessie Whittemore.

Class Prophecy,
Catherine Priest.

Valedictory Oration,
Elijah Swift.

Music—O That Thou Hadst Harkened, . . . Sullivan-Bartlett
Lulu Ethel Phelan with Chorus.

Address,
Albert Edward Winship, Editor of the Journal of Education.

Music—Class Ode, Rubenstein-Watson
Words by Christina Pirie Mitchell.
By the Class of 1899.

Presentation of Diplomas,
Hon. Charles H. Porter, Chairman of the School Committee.

Music—Wake to the Hunting, Smart
High School Chorus.

Class Motto: Honor Waits at Labor's Gate.

Class Colors: Gold and White.

Director of Music—Miss Madeleine Fish.

Accompanist—Miss Helen Sibley, '99.

DIPLOMAS.

Melzena Frances Brown,	Margaret Mary Elizabeth Sheahan,
Josephine Theodora Collagan,	Helen Sibley,
Helen Eastman Comins,	Margaret Cantley Souter,
Elizabeth Nora Dunn,	Jeannette Miller Tanner,
Alicia Beatrice Elcock,	Mary Pauline Tate,
Frances Julia Elcock,	Florence Bicknell Thayer,
Grace Raymond Fowler,	Ethel Vogler,
Jennie Marie Gorman,	Annie Elizabeth Whittemore,
Edith Maud Greenerd,	Sarah Peak Wiley,
Bertha Austin Hayden,	Genevieve Wilson,
Faustina Walton Hodgkinson,	Joseph Michael Ford,
Mary Elizabeth King,	Ralph Stanwood Foss,
Clara Wentworth Lingley,	Harry Leslie Linnell,
Norma Cutter Lowe,	William Edwin Mitchell,
Mary Lillian McDonald,	Arthur Murphy, Jr.,
Agnes Theresa McGinty,	Sidney Thomas Northcott,
Annie Gertrude McLaughlin,	Lemuel Pitts, Jr.,
Christina Pirie Mitchell,	George Wesley Sargent,
Carrie Marguerite Poland,	Elijah Swift,
Catherine Priest,	Frank Wilson Thomas,
	Howard Gardner Wade.

BUSINESS CERTIFICATES.

Florence May Beatrice Berry,	Edward Joseph Donovan,
Ethel Elvira Douglas,	George Archibald Farquhar,
Catherine Charlotte Doyle,	Philip Francis Garrity,
Mabel Mary Favero,	Henry Elmer Hewitt,
Amy Louise Fuge,	Frank Griffice Kingston,
Lucy Elmore Gagnon,	George Marshall Luce,
Jennie Isabel Joss,	Marcus Edward Mahon,
Ellen Theresa Joyce,	Daniel Martell,
Katherine Frances Keenan,	John Kelman McLaughlin,
Anna Beatrice McCarthy,	John Lawrence McLaughlin,
Mary Louise McCue,	Frederick Harrison Mitchell,
Mary Anne O'Brien,	John Norrie,
Lottie Belle Perry,	Michael Joseph O'Brien,
Katherine Frances Regan,	James Joseph Andrew Ryan,
Bessie Robbie,	Thomas Lyall Skinner,
Annie Ellen Bandeen Rose,	David Evan Thomas,
Jennie Blanche Saunders,	Benjamin Jackson Tinney,
Catherine Florence Walsh,	Myron Bennett Turner,
Emerson Thayer Bates,	Thomas Joseph Welsh,
Walter Turman Bartlett Clare,	David Joseph White,
Herbert Waterman Curtis,	Ernest Septamus Woodman.

High School Prize Speaking.

The seventh prize speaking contest and award of essay and translation prizes of the Quincy High School was held Friday evening, 28 April, 1899. The programme:

1. Music—"Song of Peace," Sullivan
By the School.
2. "The Curse of Regulus," Anon
Norma Cutter Lowe, '99.
3. "On Negro Slavery," Brougham
Sidney T. Northcott, '99.
4. "The Men of the Merrimac," Johnstone
Katherine Walsh, '02.
5. "Vindication Speech," Emmett
E. Lois Metherall, '01.
6. Music—"Wynken, Blynken, and Nod," Nevin
Double Quartette: Misses Collagan, '99; Lull, '00;
Woy, '01; Vogler, '01; Messrs. Sargent, '99;
Hewson, '00; Keyes, '00; Anderson, '01.
Solo by Miss Lulu E. Phelan, '00.
7. "A Man Without a Country," : . . . Hale
Edith M. Greenerd, '99.
8. "Disregard of Law," Anon
Charles J. McGilvray, '01.
9. "Catiline's Defiance," Croly
Ethel Vogler, '99.

10. "The Nation's Memorial," Sherwood
Sadie I. Adams, '01.
11. "The Burial March of Dundee," Aytouu
Mary A. Egan, '00.
12. Music—"Away to the Fields," Wilson
By the School.
13. "The Spinning Wheel," Longfellow
Bertha M. Miles, '01.
14. "The Dandy Fifth," Gassaway
Aubrey N. Peters, '02.
15. "Selection from Speech Against Imperialism," Hoar
Norris B. Wason, '02
16. "The Surprise of Ticonderoga," Stansbury
Ellerton T. Williams, '02.
17. "The Second Trial," Kellogg
Beatrice R. Walker, '01.
18. Music—Violin Solo, "Svengali Waltzes," . . . Woods
Emerson T. Bates, '01.
Ernest W. Arnold, '02, Accompanist.
19. Award of Prizes.
20. Music—"The Vikings and the Northwind," . . . Tours
By the School.

Director of Music, Miss Madeleine Fish.
Accompanists, Miss Helen Sibley, '99;
Miss Mary L. Hunt, '01.

Judges of Declamation,—Mr. Charles A. Hall, Atlantic ;
Joseph M. Sheahan, M. D., Quincy ; Hon. Charles H. Porter,
Quincy.

Judges of Essays and Translations,—(English), Miss Mabel
E. Adams, Quincy ; Henry C. Hallowell, M. D., Quincy ; N. S.
Hunting, M. D., Quincy.

(Greek and Latin),—Mr. George L. Baxter, Head-Master,
Latin High School, Somerville ; Mr. Sherrard Billings, Master
Groton School, Groton.

(French and German),—Mr. James A. Beatley, Master
English High School, Boston ; Mr. L. Dowley Williams, Quincy.

Donors of Prizes,—Mr. Henry H. Faxon, Quincy; Mr. Luther S. Anderson, Quincy.

The order of speaking was assigned by lot.

The net proceeds of the six previous contests now amount to nearly \$325. The Prize Speaking Fund is deposited in the Quincy Savings Bank.

PRIZE WINNERS FOR DECLAMATIONS.

First prize, \$15 worth of books—Miss Ethel Volger, '99.

Second prize, \$12 worth of books—Norris B. Wason, '02.

Third prize, \$10 worth of books—Miss Mary A. Eagan, '00.

Fourth prize, \$8 worth of books,—Miss Beatrice R. Walker, '01.

Fifth prize, \$5 worth of books, — Miss Norma Cutter Lowe, '99.

GREEK PRIZES.

For translation from Homer's Iliad.—First prize, \$3, Mr. Ralph S. Foss, '99; honorable mention, Mr. Elijah Swift, '99.

For translation from Xenophon's Anabasis.—First prize, \$3, Miss Ruth E. Hayden, '00; honorable mention, Mr. Elijah Swift, '99.

LATIN PRIZES.

For translation from Cicero.—First prize, \$3, Mr. Elijah Swift, '99; honorable mention, Miss Frances J. Elcock, '99.

For translation from Virgil.—First prize, \$3, Miss Ruth E. Hayden, '00; honorable mention, Mr. Kenneth B. Lewis, '00.

For translation from Cæsar.—First prize, \$3, Mr. Carl Lewis, '01; honorable mention, Mr. Harold Newcomb, '01.

FRENCH PRIZES.

For translation from "La Prise de la Bastille," class of '99, (first division).—First prize, \$3, Miss Bessie Whitmore, '99; honorable mention, Mr. John Brooks Keyes, '00.

For translation from "Quatrevingt-Treize," class of '99, (second division).—First prize, \$3, Mr. John Brooks Keyes, 1900; honorable mention, Miss Nettie Phelps, '00.

For translation from "La Bataille Le Dames," class of 1900.—First prize, \$3, Miss Annie W. Pinkham, '00; honorable mention, Mr. John Brooks Keyes, '00.

GERMAN PRIZES.

For translation from "Der Schwiegersohn," class of '99.
First prize, \$3, Mr. Kenneth B. Lewis, '99.

For translation from "Fritz auf Ferien," class of 1900.—
First prize, \$3, Miss Nan E. Woy, '00; honorable mention, Mr. Kenneth B. Lewis, '00.

ESSAYS.

Class of 1899—First prize, \$3, Miss Bessie Whittemore ;
subject, "The Ideal High School." Honorable mention, Miss
Christina Mitchell ; subject, "Heroes of Peace."

Class of 1900—First prize, \$3, Miss Nan E. Woy ;
subject, "A Boy's Honor." Honorable mention, Miss Cath-
erine T. Pendergast ; subject, "The Spanish-American War."

Class of 1901—First prize, \$3, Miss Jeanie I. Joss ; subject,
"Heroes of Peace." Honorable mention, Mr. Charles J.
McGilvray, subject, "A Yachting Trip."

Class of 1902—First prize, \$3, Mr. Edward T. Williams ;
subject, "Camping Out." Honorable mention, Miss Marie E.
Bass ; subject, "Our Dumb Animals."

High School Alumni.

The Association of the Alumni of the Quincy High School has the following officers :

President, Miss Mabel E. Adams, '82.

Vice Presidents, Mr. William R. Thomas, '89 ; Mrs. J. M. Nowland, '91 ; Mr. R. E. McDonald, '98.

Secretary, Mr. P. A. Hall, '87.

Treasurer, Mr. A. L. Litchfield, '77.

Governing Board, with above officers ex-officiis, Miss Mary Dinnie, '95 ; Miss L. Merton Pratt, '97 ; Miss Bessie Whittemore, '99.

Objects: To promote the usefulness of the Quincy High School, to furnish opportunity for friendly intercourse among its Alumni, and to create and preserve harmonious relations between the school and the community in which it is placed.

Members: All those who hold diplomas of graduation ; all those persons who, previous to the first annual distribution of diplomas, had completed a full course of study in the Quincy High School, and who can produce evidence thereof.

Honorary Members: Superintendent of Schools and all persons who are and who have been teachers in the Quincy High School. Other honorary members may be elected by ballot.

Alumni Reunion, March 9, 1900.

Quincy Teachers' Association.

The officers for 1899-1900 are :

President, Robert S. Atkins, John Hancock.

Vice President, Albert Candlin, Willard.

Secretary and Treasurer, Marjorie L. Souther, Washington.

Executive Committee :

Arthur F. Campbell, High.

Eliza F. Dolan, Adams.

Alice F. Sampson, Coddington.

Margaret F. Talbot, Gridley Bryant.

Robert S. Atkins (Chairman), John Hancock.

Daisy J. Adams, Lincoln.

Mary E. Currier, Massachusetts Fields.

Charles Sampson, Quincy.

Bessie L. Drew, Washington.

Nellie C. Gragg, Willard.

Myra E. Otis, Wollaston.

Carrie E. Small, Woodward Institute.

John O. Hall, Jr., Adams Academy.

Six regular meetings per year.

Membership dues, twenty-five cents per year in advance.

Everyone teaching in Quincy is eligible.

Parents' Day of the Grammar Graduates.

" Long live the good School! giving out year by year
Recruits to true manhood and womanhood dear;
Brave boys, modest maidens, in beauty sent forth
The living epistles and proof of its worth."

PROGRAMME.

March, — Pianists, Hannah O. Litchfield, Belle W. Curtis:

Drummer, Walter G. Field, VII.

Chorus — (a) " Cease this Dreaming," Franz Abt

(b) " Star of Descending Night," L. O. Emerson

Greeting to the Parents, Herbert Warren Lull, Superintendent
of Schools.

Chorus — (a) " Recessional," Rudyard Kipling

(b) " Ring on ye Bells," Franz Abt

Greeting to the Pupils, Colonel Edward Anderson, Pastor of the
Washington Street Church.

Chorus — (a) " Star Spangled Banner" Ten Boys*

(b) " Pledge to the Flag."

* One Boy from each of the Ten Schools.

Greeting from the Committee, Hon. Charles H. Porter, Chairman
of the Board.

Presentation of Diplomas by Chairmen of Sub-Committees.

Chorus — " Our Public Schools." (Fifth Year)

Words by Frederic Allison Tupper.

Director of Music, Mrs. Laura C. F. Smith.

Pianists, Helen E. Bemis, Q. H. S., '97 ; Wenonah L. Nash,
Q. H. S., '00

Graduates.

ADAMS SCHOOL — 49

Clara Gertrude Barnicoat,
 May Alice Beckford,
 Elizabeth Black,
 Margaret Brennan,
 Teresa Rose Brennan,
 Stanley Harold Barnicoat,
 Belle W. Curtis,
 Anna Elizabeth Desmond,
 Maria DeMercedes Donovan,
 Helen Irene Duran,
 William Leo Elcock,
 Alice Mabel Ellis,
 Raymond Galvin,
 James Clarke Gavin,
 Frederick Franklin Hadden
 Margaret Hennessy,
 Frank G. Hernon,
 Alice Winnifred Jones,
 William Kemp,
 Joseph G. Kennedy, Jr.,
 William Taylor Laing,
 Ellen Theresa Lee,
 Charles Frederick Litchfield,
 Hannah Olliffe Litchfield,
 James Henry Mahon,

James Wilson Maver,
 John L. Maver,
 Michael Henry Maloney,
 John Macalini,
 Mary Helena Moynihan,
 Harrison Ellery Maxim,
 Newton MacLeod,
 Kino Maggiani,
 Ester McDonnell,
 Theodore J. Muer,
 James Mullen
 George Holland Newcomb,
 James O'Malley,
 Warren Winthrop Pratt,
 William J. Robbie,
 Theresa Roche,
 Wilbur Denton Richardson,
 Ethel Francis Silva,
 Mabel Helen Silva,
 Kathleen Genevieve Tate,
 Marguerite Tierney,
 Georgiana Brooks Waldron,
 Martin Welsh,
 Margaret Ellen Sweeney.

CODDINGTON SCHOOL — 38.

Alan Freeman Arnold,
 Harriet Chown Beven,
 Florence Nellie Berrill,
 Wallace Bradbury Carr,
 Herbert Crane,
 Elizabeth Rachel Connelly,
 Edward Joseph Desmond,
 Thomas Donlin,
 James Dunn,
 Thomas Henry Fallon
 William John Fitzgerald,
 John Gilraine,
 Jessie May Gould,
 Susan Elizabeth Hallowell,

Helena Vesta Hayes,
 Edward Paul Histen,
 Willard Allen Hodges,
 Frederick Warland Howe,
 Margaret Kemp,
 Alice Blanche Lizotte,
 Jennie Ann Macleod,
 John Joseph McDonnell,
 Eva Lewis Marden,
 Margery Melcher,
 Ethel Vivian Merritt,
 Leonard Elbridge Mowry,
 James Albert Mears Nash,
 Bertha May Newcomb,

Katharine Davis Hardwick,
Robert Ainsworth Hardwick,
Annie Harkins,
Charlotte May Harris,
Charles Elwyn Hatch,

Eva Hamlin Richards,
Henry Taylor,
Mary Ellen Thompson,
James Robbins Wild, Jr.
Ralph Eldridge Winslow.

GRIDLEY BRYANT SCHOOL — 31.

Grace Gertrude Barry,
Mary Elizabeth Barry,
William Ambrose Barry,
Vincent Augusta Bolger,
John Joseph Buckley,
Mary Elizabeth Buckley,
Michael Joseph Cannon,
Patrick Caven,
Mary Beatrice Cronin,
Bessie Margaret Duggan,
Lawrence David Duncan,
Nora Egan,
Lawrence Johnson Falvey,
Margaret May Geddes,
Mary Frances Grignon,
Edmund Howley,

Isabelle Walker Hunter,
John Francis Joyce,
Nellie Joyce,
Michael Edward King,
Ernest Eugene Leavitt,
William George McCormack,
Arthur McGilvray,
Annie Ward McGilvray,
Frederic Ernest Moir,
Charles Joseph Morrill,
Hannah Gertrude Reardon,
William John Small,
Cornelius Sullivan,
John Wallace,
Lillian Miriam Woodward.

JOHN HANCOCK SCHOOL — 33.

Henrietta Brown,
Bertha Josephine Carlson,
Alice Clare,
Monica Elizabeth Clare,
John Joseph Collins,
Nora Erwin Connors,
Peter Wilson Dackers,
William Dinnie,
Daniel Patrick Driscoll,
Michael Andrew Driscoll,
George Esson,
William Alexander Gillis,
Carl Amil Hallquist,
John Alf'd Wilkinson Harling,
Henry Everett Hayden,
John Henry Heaney,
Katherine Grace Higgins,

Catherine Frances Igo,
George Samuel Johnson,
Mary Agnes Josephine Kelly,
Mary Jane Kennedy,
Eleda Paulena Magnuson,
Mary Ellen McCue,
Catherine Effie McDonald,
John Gordon McGregor,
David McIntosh,
James W. C. Mitchell,
James Francis Morrissey, Jr.,
Thomas Murphy,
Catherine O'Connor,
Jessie Robina Smith,
Ethel Maud Thomas,
Rachel Grace Warshaw.

LINCOLN SCHOOL—16.

Catherine Agnes Austin,
 Mary Lucy Barsellai,
 Anna Josephine Fay,
 Margaret Elizabeth Laing,
 Mary Elizabeth Marnock,
 Rachael Walker Norrie,
 Alice Frances Gill,
 Edwin Francis Brault,

Robert Henry Findlay,
 John Joseph Lennon,
 Sidney Moreland Paterson.
 Arthur Paul Philips,
 James Christopher Smith,
 James Mitchell Smith,
 Charles John Stuart,
 Alexander John Stronach.

MASSACHUSETTS FIELDS SCHOOL — 22.

Mollie Gilbert Brown,
 Clarence Linwood Cleaves,
 Louis Stephen Cleaves,
 Flora Everett Drew,
 Christine Fowler,
 James Forrest, Jr.,
 Ruth Prescott Gardner,
 Henrietta May Bertha Gram,
 Walter Israel Hey,
 Helen Barstow Josselyn,
 Ethel Alfreda Johnson,

Henry Gregory Lavelle,
 Olevia Burns Leake,
 Lizzie Bell Linnell,
 Charles Barnes Locke,
 Mary Evelyn MacDonald,
 Chester Warren Melville,
 Ernest Havelock Moore,
 Julia Madeline Page,
 Cora Wass Titus,
 Maurice James Welsh,
 Ida Isabelle Williams.

QUINCY SCHOOL — 33.

Annie Louise Ago,
 Louis Barry,
 Kathryn G. Burch,
 Michael Edward Clarke,
 Edmund Clifford,
 John Peter Curley,
 John Francis Dolan,
 Mary Ann Dolan,
 Mabel Dorman,
 Clara Margaret Duggan,
 Alice Ripley Evans,
 Edith Pauline Farrington,
 Frank Geary,
 Oliver Elliot Greene,
 Ellen Louise Halloran,
 Russell Jewett Hammond,
 Ernest Harding,

William Hayes,
 Florence May Hill,
 Arthur Johnson,
 Bessie Dean Keller,
 Hannah Leary,
 Clarence Bradley Lincoln,
 Alice Martin,
 Frank Martin,
 Neil Rod McLean,
 Harriet Agnes McKeon,
 Mylon D. Merchant,
 George Albert C. Nelsen,
 Stephen Walter Nichols,
 Timothy Francis O'Neil,
 Frank Stuart Spencer,
 Walter K. Tavender.

WASHINGTON SCHOOL — 23.

Beatrice F. Adams,
 John J. Avery,
 James H. Baker,
 Margaret B. M. Biggar,
 Alfred W. Brown,
 Josephine Burns,
 Minnie G. Butters,
 Ellen Callahan,
 Mary Collins,
 George Costello,
 Stephen Devaney,
 John A. Dorlay,

Gertrude E. Foster,
 George T. Glidden,
 George Mitchell,
 Timothy Moriarty,
 Beatrice L. Nash,
 Florence M. Newcomb,
 Elsie C. Phillips,
 George Powers,
 Cyril F. Randall,
 James Sullivan,
 Harry Wheble.

WILLARD SCHOOL — 54.

Harold Randlett Badger,
 Elizabeth Barron,
 Anna Louise Barry,
 Thomas William Barry,
 Catherine Loretta Berry,
 George Arthur Berry,
 Harry Talbot Boyd,
 Matthew Francis Bryan,
 Anna Josephine Burns,
 Margaret Alicia Carroll,
 Margaret Anna Corcoran,
 Mary Josephine Daley,
 Edward James Desmond,
 Theresa Josephine Dolan,
 Maurice Driscoll,
 John Joseph Drohan,
 Alexis Elcock,
 Alphonse Bogardes Elcock,
 Daniel Thomas Falvey,
 William Farrell,
 Catherine Theresa Fitzgerald,
 Roderick Fraser,
 Lucy Maud Furbish,
 Joseph Clement Gibbons,
 Irene Gertrude Graham,
 Olive Hensena Grant,
 Mary Josephine Grignon,

John Edward Hall,
 Frank Hebert,
 Mary Delia Herbert,
 Isabelle Gertrude Jilbert,
 Nellie Theresa Lane,
 Alphonse Eudore Leclair,
 Julia Lyons,
 Elsie McDonald,
 Fred McDonald,
 William McLeod,
 James Michael McTiernan,
 Joseph Adrian Monahan,
 Paul Victor Morissette,
 Sylvanus Alfred Moyle,
 Mary Frances Murphy,
 Elizabeth Gertrude O'Brien,
 Lulu Pickering,
 Anna Gertrude Reardon,
 Elizabeth Grace Reilly,
 Elizabeth J. Reinhalter,
 Margaret Cochrane Riddell,
 Grace Gertrude Simons,
 Abigail Louise Sullivan,
 James Sullivan,
 Edward Vinton Trask,
 Mary Adriana Turcott,
 Frederick White.

WOLLASTON SCHOOL — 25.

Louise Gertrude Bates,
Helen Canterbury Barnes,
Wallace Cherrington Bennett,
Francis Herbert Bishop,
May Belle Ann Crook,
Charles Kenyon Dunn,
Clara Louise Ela,
Winthrop Adams Fenno,
Mabel Bessie Hastings,
Ethel Tena Jordan,
Harvey Sidney Jewell,
John Thomas Meaney,
Herbert Fletcher Miller, Jr.,

Mabelle Marion Mcleod,
Ethel Pauline Parker,
Howard Blair Penniman,
Theodore Thomas Penley,
Kathleen Isabella Reece,
Florence Mildred Rice,
Lincoln Parker Rice,
Chester Edward Tenney,
Harry Cameron Ward,
Flora Belle Wight,
Winnifred Eaton White,
Carleton Derby White.

School Committee, 1849---1900.

NOTE.—Elected for one year. The first-named each year was the Chairman.

1849—50.

John T. Burrill,
William D. Gray,
William Allen,
William Dean, (?)

William B. Duggan,
Lysander Richards,
Solomon Willard.

NOTE.—William Allen resigned in October. Solomon Willard was elected.

1850—51.

William W. Dean,
William S. Morton,
George Baxter,

James Bradford,
William B. Duggan,
George White.

NOTE.—Solomon Willard was elected but declined. Vacancy not filled.

1851—52.

William W. Dean,
William S. Morton,
James Bradford,
George White,

Lysander Richards,
John T. Burrill,
Noah Cummings.

1852—53.

Charles Francis Adams,
Noah Cummings,
William B. Duggan,

Adam Curtis,
James Bradford.

1853—54.

Charles Frandis Adams,
George Baxter,
George H. Locke,
William B. Duggan,

Henry Littlefield,
Adam Curtis,
William P. Lunt.

1854—55.

William W. Dean,
Adam Curtis,
Luther Munn,
William S. Morton,

Henry Littlefield,
Charles Francis Adams,
Horatio N. Glover,
William B. Duggan.

NOTE.—Luther Munn elected but declined. William S. Morton elected.

1855—56.

William W. Dean,
Elijah Baxter,
George L. Gill,
Edwin W. Marsh,

Samuel Thomas, Jr.,
William W. Baxter,
Lorenzo Johnson.

NOTE.—William W. Dean resigned. Charles Francis Adams elected.

1856—57.

William P. Lunt,
George H. Locke,
James Bradford,
William W. Baxter,

Bryant B. Newcomb,
Nelson Clark,
Edmund Pope.

1857—58.

Luther Rice,
George H. Locke,
Edmund Pope,
John Q. Adams,

James Bradford,
William W. Baxter,
Bryant B. Newcomb.

NOTE.—Bryant B. Newcomb died, and Daniel H. Bills was elected.

1858—59.

The number of School Committee changed to six; one-third being elected each year for a term of three years.

William S. Morton,
William B. Duggan,
George White,

Daniel H. Bills,
Luther Rice,
Charles L. Badger.

NOTE.—George White resigned. Thomas Curtis elected, but declined. Vacancy not filled.

1859—60.

John Q. Adams,
Edmund Pope,
Daniel H. Bills,

William S. Morton,
Charles L. Badger,
George H. Locke.

1860—61.

William S. Morton,
George H. Locke,
Daniel H. Bills,

James A. Stetson,
John Q. Adams,
Edmund Pope.

1861—62.

Daniel H. Bills,
George H. Locke,
Edmund Pope,

James A. Stetson,
William B. Duggan,
George White.

1862—63.

George White,
George H. Locke,
Henry Walker,

William B. Duggan,
Ebenezer Adams,
John D. Wells.

NOTE.—James A. Stetson resigned. John D. Wells elected.

1863—64.

George White,
John D. Wells,
J. G. B. Heath,

William B. Duggan,
Ebenezer Adams,
William Chesley.

NOTE.—Mr. Chesley resigned in June and Joseph W. Robertson was elected.

George White resigned in October and John Chamberlain was elected to vacancy, and John D. Wells became Chairman.

1864—65.

John D. Wells,
Charles R. Mitchell,
J. G. B. Heath,

Ebenezer Adams,
Henry Barker,
Joseph W. Robertson.

1865—66.

John D. Wells,
Charles R. Mitchell,
Henry Barker,

William B. Duggan,
Joseph W. Robertson,
E. Granville Pratt.

1866—67.

E. Granville Pratt,
Charles R. Mitchell,
Henry Barker,

William S. Morton.
William B. Duggan,
H. Farnam Smith.

NOTE.—Charles R. Mitchell resigned in June. George H. Arnold was elected.

1867—68.

E. Granville Pratt,
H. Farnam Smith,
Henry Barker,

Noah Cummings,
William B. Duggan,
William S. Morton.

1868—69.

E. Granville Pratt,
H. Farnam Smith,
Henry Barker,

Noah Cummings,
William S. Morton,
William S. Pattee.

1869—70.

E. Granville Pratt,
Asa Wellington,
Henry Barker,

Noah Cummings,
William B. Duggan,
William S. Pattee.

1870—71.

William S. Morton,
E. Granville Pratt,
Asa Wellington,

William B. Duggan,
William S. Pattee,
John Q. Adams.

1871—72.

William S. Morton,
John Q. Adams,
Asa Wellington,

H. Farnam Smith,
William B. Duggan,
Henry Lunt.

NOTE—William S. Morton died in September. Noah Cummings elected. John Q. Adams elected Chairman.

1872—73.

John Q. Adams,
Henry Lunt,
Asa Wellington,

Charles L. Badger,
H. Farnam Smith,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.

1873—74.

John Q. Adams,
H. Farnam Smith,
Asa Wellington,

Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
Henry Lunt,
Charles L. Badger.

1874—75.

John Q. Adams,
Charles L. Badger,
Asa Wellington,

William B. Duggan,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
James H. Slade.

1875—76.

John Q. Adams,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
James H. Slade,

Edwin W. Marsh,
William B. Duggan,
Charles L. Badger.

1876—77.

John Q. Adams,
Edwin W. Marsh,
James H. Slade,

Charles L. Badger,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
William B. Duggan.

1877—78.

John Q. Adams,
Charles L. Badger,
James H. Slade,

Edwin W. Marsh,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
Jason G. Witham.

1878—79.

John Q. Adams,
Edwin W. Marsh,
Jason G. Witham,

Charles L. Badger,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
James H. Slade.

1879—80.

John Q. Adams,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
Jason G. Witham,

James H. Slade,
Edwin W. Marsh,
George L. Miller.

1880—81.

John Q. Adams,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
Jason G. Witham,

George L. Miller,
Edwin W. Marsh,
Alfred Sampson.

NOTE.—Charles F. Adams, Jr., resigned April 30, and William G. Sheen was elected.

1881—82.

John Q. Adams,
Edwin W. Marsh,
Jason G. Witham,

William G. Sheen,
Alfred Sampson,
George L. Miller.

NOTE.—John Q. Adams resigned June 1. Vacancy filled by choice of Sigourney Butler.

Edwin W. Marsh elected Chairman after the resignation of Mr. Adams.

1882—83.

Edwin W. Marsh,
William G. Sheen,
Alfred Sampson,

George L. Miller,
Jason G. Witham,
Sigourney Butler.

1883—84.

Edwin W. Marsh,
George L. Miller,
Alfred Sampson,

William G. Sheen,
Jason G. Witham,
Sigourney Butler.

1884—85.

Jason G. Witham,
 Alfred Sampson.
 Adelaide A. Claflin,

Sylvester Brown,
 Sigourney Butler,
 John A. Gordon.

NOTE.—Alfred Sampson resigned, and James H. Slade was elected.
 George L. Miller resigned, and John A. Gordon was elected.

1885—86.

Sigourney Butler,
 John A. Gordon,
 Adelaide A. Claflin,

Sylvester Brown,
 Jason G. Witham,
 Francis L. Hayes.

1886—87.

Sigourney Butler,
 Francis L. Hayes,
 Adelaide A. Claflin,

John A. Gordon,
 Sylvester Brown,
 Joseph M. Sheahan.

1887—88.

Sylvester Brown,
 Thomas Gurney,
 Rupert F. Claflin,

Francis L. Hayes,
 John A. Gordon,
 Joseph M. Sheahan.

1888.

Sylvester Brown,
 Thomas Gurney,
 John A. Gordon,

Rupert F. Claflin,
 Francis L. Hayes,
 Joseph M. Sheahan.

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Sylvester Brown,
 Rupert F. Claflin,
 John F. Cole,
 John A. Gordon,
 H. Evan Cotton,

Francis L. Hayes,
 Joseph M. Sheahan,
 Eben Muse,
 Thomas Gurney.

1890.

Sylvester Brown,
 Rupert F. Claflin,
 John F. Cole,
 Joseph M. Sheahan,
 H. Evan Cotton,

Francis L. Hayes.
 John A. Gordon,
 Emery L. Crane,
 Thomas Gurney.

NOTE.—Francis L. Hayes resigned, and Wendell G. Corthell was elected by joint meeting of the Council and the School Board.

1891.

Rupert F. Claflin,
H. Evan Cotton,
Wendell G. Corthell,
John A. Gordon,
Emery L. Crane,

Harrison A. Keith,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
Ambrose F. Roche,
Elijah G. Hall.

1892.

Emery L. Crane,
Harrison A. Keith,
Ambrose F. Roche,
John A. Gordon,
Charles H. Porter,

Wendell G. Corthell,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
H. Evan Cotton,
Elijah G. Hall.

1893.

Emery L. Crane,
Charles H. Porter,
Wendell G. Corthell,
John A. Gordon,
James F. Harlow,

Harrison A. Keith,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
Ambrose F. Roche,
Elijah G. Hall.

1894.

Emery L. Crane,
George B. Rice,
William D. Burns,
John A. Gordon,
Charles H. Porter,

Wendell G. Corthell,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
James F. Harlow,
Thomas Gurney.

1895.

Emery L. Crane,
George B. Rice,
William D. Burns,
Henry C. Hallowell,
Charles H. Porter,

Wellington Record,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
James F. Harlow,
Thomas Gurney.

NOTE.—George B. Rice resigned, and Frank A. Page was elected by a joint vote of the Council and the School Board.

1896.

Charles H. Porter,
Frank A. Page,
William D. Burns,
Henry C. Hallowell,
Walter R. Breed,

Wellington Record,
Frank C. Field,
Mabel E. Adams,
Thomas Gurney.

1897.

Charles H. Porter,
 Frank A. Page,
 John H. Ash,
 Henry C. Hallowell,
 Walter R. Breed,

Wellington Record,
 Frank C. Field,
 Mabel E. Adams,
 Frederick J. Peirce.

1898.

Charles H. Porter,
 Frank A. Page,
 John H. Ash,
 Henry C. Hallowell,
 Walter R. Breed,

Wellington Record,
 Frank C. Field,
 Mabel E. Adams,
 Frederick J. Peirce.

1899.

Charles H. Porter,
 Frederick H. Smith,
 Frank A. Page,
 Henry C. Hallowell,
 Mabel E. Adams,

Wellington Record,
 Nathaniel S. Hunting,
 John H. Ash,
 Frederick J. Peirce.

1900.

Charles H. Porter,
 Nathaniel S. Hunting,
 Thomas J. Dion,
 Charles F. Merrick,
 Frederick H. Smith,

Wellington Record,
 Henry C. Hallowell,
 Mabel E. Adams,
 Frederick J. Peirce.

N. B.—Kindly notify the Superintendent of any mistakes so that this list may have historical value.

School Committee

For 1900.

At Large.

DR. HENRY C. HALLOWELL,	.	.	.	Term expires 1900
DR. NATHANIEL S. HUNTING,	.	.	.	" " 1901
MR. CHARLES F. MERRICK,	.	.	.	" " 1902

By Wards.

Ward 1.	HON. CHARLES H. PORTER,	.	.	Term expires 1900
Ward 2.	MR. FREDERICK H. SMITH,	.	.	" " 1901
Ward 3.	MISS MABEL E. ADAMS,	.	.	" " 1901
Ward 4.	DR. THOMAS J. DION,	.	.	" " 1902
Ward 5.	DR. WELLINGTON RECORD,	.	.	" " 1900
Ward 6.	DR. FREDERICK J. PEIRCE,	.	.	" " 1902

Chairman of the School Board,

HON. CHARLES H. PORTER.

Secretary of the Board and Superintendent of Schools,

HERBERT WARREN LULL.

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Regular Hours of Superintendent:—Monday, 7.30 to 8.30 P. M. Tuesday, 4 to 5 P. M. Thursday, 4 to 5 P. M. Friday, 12 to 1 P. M.

The regular meetings of the School Board are held at eight o'clock P. M. the last Tuesday in each month.

STANDING SUB-COMMITTEES FOR 1900.

FOR THE DIFFERENT SCHOOLS :

HIGH . . .	Messrs. Porter, Hallowell, Miss Adams
ADAMS . . .	Miss Adams, Messrs. Hunting, Peirce
CODDINGTON . . .	Messrs. Hallowell, Porter, Peirce
GRIDLEY BRYANT . . .	Messrs. Porter, Dion, Merrick
JOHN HANCOCK .	Messrs. Hallowell, Dion, Miss Adams
LINCOLN . . .	Messrs. Hunting, Dion, Miss Adams
MASSACHUSETTS FIELDS .	Messrs. Merrick, Smith, Record
QUINCY . . .	Messrs. Peirce, Record, Hunting
WASHINGTON . . .	Messrs. Smith, Record, Merrick
WILLARD . . .	Messrs. Dion, Hallowell, Merrick
WOLLASTON . . .	Messrs. Record, Smith, Peirce

Finance and Salaries,

Messrs. Porter, Hallowell, Smith.

Books, Supplies and Sundries,

Miss Adams, Messrs. Record, Hunting.

Transportation,

Messrs. Record, Dion, Merrick.

Evening Schools,

Messrs. Peirce, Hunting, Dion.

Text Books,

Messrs. Hallowell, Peirce, Miss Adams.

Special Subjects,

Messrs. Hunting, Smith, Merrick.

Calendar for 1900.

First term : Tuesday, January 2,—Friday, March 30.

Second term : Monday, April 16,—Wednesday, June 27.

Third term : Tuesday, September 4,—Friday, December 21.

The New Year : Wednesday, January 2, 1901.

Holidays : February 22, April 19, May 30, June 17.

Thanksgiving Recess : Remainder of week from Wednesday noon.

Regular General Meetings : First afternoon of every term, at four o'clock, in the hall of the High School.

Regular Grade Meetings of Special Teachers : First two weeks of every term at four o'clock.

High School Graduation : Wednesday, June 27.

Grammar School Graduation : Thursday, June 28.

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